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**Parks and Recreation offices  
are located in City Hall,  
4035 Broadway**

**OFFICE HOURS**

**Monday-Friday  
8 a.m.-5 p.m.**

## **Elected Officials**

### **MAYOR**

Richard L. "Ike" Stage

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## **MAYOR'S COLUMN: Enjoying and Preserving Our Parks**

If you haven't experienced listening to leaves rustling beneath your feet in one of our scenic parks, now is the time, snow is on the way.

The City's 21 parks span more than 260 acres that accommodate programs for residents and visitors of all ages including outdoor education, concerts and sports of all varieties. Our parks host an estimated quarter million visitors a year and remain a constant point of pride for our community.

Preserving and enhancing the City's parks continue to be priorities and several substantial projects are in the planning phase or underway. Maintaining a first class park system is one way we return to you, our citizens, your tax dollars. I want to share a preview of just three of these exciting community enhancements.

### **Grant Homestead**

The Grant Homestead is a collection of 19th century buildings located on 1.8 acres at the intersection of Haughn Road and Park Street. The house is a five bay I-house, the vernacular for the house form common during the 19th century. Hugh Grant was one of the founders of Grove City and his son Hugh Grant, Jr. built the Grant Homestead in the 1830s and it passed on to six generations of the Grant family. The history and significance of the house is evidenced by its listing in the National Register of Historic Places, a program of the National Park Service which recognizes properties worthy of preservation.

The City acquired the property in 2014 from the Grant family through the Ruth Jividen estate and began a multi-year restoration project. The plan is to restore the buildings and the site to serve as a living museum providing visitors with an experiential interpretation of Grove City in the 1830s.

### **Grove City Little League® Dream Field**

The Grove City Little League® Dream Field was truly a dream of the Grove City Little League® Board, many of whom were Grove City Little League® players in the 1950s. They wanted a field for children of all abilities to experience the baseball fun and excitement they enjoyed. The board realized children with special needs would have difficulty navigating a conventional field, so they began raising funds to finance and install a field with a special rubberized surface to accommodate children who require wheelchairs, crutches or walkers along with accessible restrooms and dugouts. Through the generosity of the community and several businesses, the board's efforts are coming to fruition as much of the field is now complete. Major contributions were made by the Mirolo Foundation and Mount Carmel Health System. The name of their dream come true is "The Mirolo Dream Field at Mount Carmel Stadium." The City proudly provided the land at Windsor Park and paid for the infrastructure and an expanded parking lot. The ribbon cutting and the field's first game will occur in May 2016.

### **Scioto Grove Metro Park**

Scioto Grove Metro Park is a 620-acre park located in the southeast part of Grove City under development by the Columbus and Franklin County Metro Parks. The park's eastern edge is bordered by nearly four winding miles of the Scioto River with a western border formed by S.R. 104. Planned amenities include an educational lab, outdoor learning areas, shelter facilities, nature trails, canoeing, kayaking and regional bikeway access points. Grove City contributed nearly one-third of the acreage for the park to Metro Parks in 2010 to enhance its design and development.

The new park is owned and operated by Metro Parks and is the largest park in Grove City. It will begin providing real back-to-nature experiences for our community with a planned opening in early 2016.

If you have yet to rustle Grove City community park leaves beneath your feet, plan now to visit one of our 21 parks. I hope to see you there.

**Mayor Richard L. "Ike" Stage**



# the Source

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## Registration

Online registration begins  
**Mon., 11/30**

55+ Early bird registration  
*Evans Center only*  
**Fri., 12/4; 9 a.m.**  
(walk-in registration only)

Phone and office registration  
**Mon., 12/7**



# Contacts

## THE CITY OF GROVE CITY

4035 Broadway  
Grove City, Ohio 43123  
8 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday-Friday

**GroveCityOhio.gov**

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## Our Mission

The Parks and Recreation Department of Grove City, Ohio, is committed to providing safe and enjoyable environments for parks, open spaces and high-quality, innovative and cost-effective programs, while planning for the growth and diversity of current and future generations of our community.

## RESIDENCY INFORMATION

A resident of the City of Grove City is anyone with a home address for which municipal taxes supporting city programs are paid. A person who has a Grove City mailing address may not live within the city limits. Those paying Grove City municipal income tax are eligible for residency rates with proof of employment.

Visit the Grove City website for information on the Fair Share Policy.

## GROVE CITY PARK BOARD

These community-minded volunteers work to create a better recreation system for all residents.

**Sam Clark, Chair**

**Jamie Hannon, Co-chair**

**Alexis Fitzsimmons**

**Brenda Hritz**

**Alice Sweeley**

**Maria Klemack-McGraw,**

*City Council Liaison*

## City Contacts

### FIRE & POLICE EMERGENCY . . . . . 9-1-1

City Hall . . . . . 614-277-3015

Administration . . . . . 614-277-3000

Building Division . . . . . 614-277-3075

City Council. . . . . 614-277-3065

Clerk of Courts . . . . . 614-277-1715

Community & Business Relations Office . . . . 614-277-3040

Development Department . . . . . 614-277-3000

Evans Center . . . . . 614-277-1060

Finance Department . . . . . 614-277-3025

Grove City Museum . . . . . 614-277-3061

Parks and Recreation Department . . . . . 614-277-3050

Police (Report accidents, crimes) . . . . . 614-277-1710

Police (Records) . . . . . 614-277-1714

Recycling . . . . . 614-277-1100

Service Department. . . . . 614-277-1100

## Parks & Recreation Contacts

Main Office . . . . . 614-277-3050

Fax . . . . . 614-277-3090

Evans Center . . . . . 614-277-1060

Evans Center Fax . . . . . 614-277-1068

Gantz Farmhouse. . . . . 614-871-6323

Gantz Barn . . . . . 614-871-6330

Fryer House . . . . . 614-277-3064

Weather Update/Information Line. . . . . 614-277-3060

# City Events



## Christmas Celebration Offers Full Day of Fun

**Town Center**, Broadway between Grant Avenue and Grove City Road

**Sat., 12/5; 10 a.m.-9 p.m.; Parade at 7 p.m.**

**614-277-3050 • [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)**

Enjoy a day celebrating the yuletide spirit in the Town Center with a variety of festive activities including shopping, visits with Santa, live music and much more.

Vendors offer holiday crafts for sale at the Mistletoe Market located inside various Town Center businesses throughout the day while choirs perform on Park Street starting at 5:30 p.m. Santa Claus is available for visits with children starting at 2 p.m. on the George Edge Music Plaza on Broadway except when he is participating in the parade. T.W.I.G. 184 offers the option of having a photo taken with Santa for a \$5 donation to Nationwide Children's Hospital. Also on the George Edge Music Plaza on Broadway, drop off nonperishable food, toy and monetary donations for the Grove City Food Pantry and the Jackson Township Fire Department's Toys for Kids program.

From 6 to 8 p.m., view an ice sculptor transforming a block of ice into a holiday icon at the southeast corner of Jackson Street and Broadway and reindeer at the southeast corner of Civic Place and Broadway.

The Grove City Community Parade steps off at 7 p.m. complete with marching bands, floats, Santa and more. The parade is followed by the lighting of the community tree in the George Edge Music Plaza on Broadway.

Visit [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov) for up-to-date event information.

## Grove City Christmas Parade

**Town Center**, Wilbur Avenue, Columbus Street, Broadway & Park Street

**Sat., 12/5; Steps off at 7 p.m.**

**Grove City Town Center, Inc.**

**614-539-8762**

**[info@grovecitytowncenter.org](mailto:info@grovecitytowncenter.org)**

Join your neighbors and family for the annual parade featuring marching bands, floats donning Christmas lights, Santa Claus and more. The parade route starts at Park Street Intermediate School, proceeds north on Wilbur Avenue, turns west down Columbus Street, travels south on Broadway through the Town Center then east on Park Street back to the school.

To participate in the Christmas parade, contact the Grove City Town Center.

## STAY CONNECTED: City of Grove City

Don't miss what is happening in Grove City! Register for our e-news or check our Facebook and Twitter pages regularly for news and events.

### E-NEWS

Sign-up for Grove City's free e-newsletter, From the Grove. Choose to receive all news or pick specific interests.

### FACEBOOK

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### WEBSITE

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# City Events

# holiday celebrations

## Christmas Celebration Activities\*

**Town Center • Sat., 12/5**

### Mistletoe Market

**10 a.m.-9 p.m.**

City Hall, Grove City Museum and various Town Center businesses

### Santa Visits

**2-7 p.m.**

George Edge Music Park on Broadway  
T.W.I.G. 184 photos

### Charitable Donation Collection

**2-7 p.m.**

George Edge Music Park on Broadway

### Choir Performances

**5:30-7 p.m.**

Stage, Park Street west of Broadway

- 5:30-6 p.m.: Central Crossing High School
- 6-6:30 p.m.: Grove City High School
- 6:30-7 p.m.: TBA

### Ice Sculptor

**6-8 p.m.**

Jackson Street at Broadway  
(southeast corner)

### Nutcracker Window Display

**Noon-10 p.m.**

City Hall, front window

### Reindeer

**6-8 p.m.**

Civic Place at Broadway  
(southeast corner)

### Parade

**7 p.m. Step off**

Route: Wilbur Avenue north to Columbus Street, west to Broadway, south to Park Street, east to Park Street Intermediate School

### Community Tree Lighting

**After the parade** (approx. 7:45 p.m.)\*  
George Edge Music Park on Broadway

\* Time is approximate based on the length of the parade.



## Mistletoe Market

**Town Center**, inside City Hall, Grove City Museum and other buildings

**Sat., 12/5; 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.**

**Grove City Town Center, Inc. • 614-539-8762 • [info@grovecitytowncenter.org](mailto:info@grovecitytowncenter.org)**

Building upon the tradition of the German Kristkindl Market dating back to the sixth century, the Grove City Town Center is hosting the annual Mistletoe Market, bringing old-world charm and warmth to Grove City's historic Town Center.

Shop for unique, creative, one-of-a-kind gift items, decorations, artwork and delicious treats to enjoy yourself or share with others while strolling through festive market spaces in Town Center businesses.

Included in the Mistletoe Market is a Secret Santa shop located in the Grove City Museum for children to purchase gifts to present anonymously to loved ones playing upon a tradition of giving celebrated around the world.

For general information and details on vending, concession sales and sponsorships, contact Grove City Town Center, Inc.

## Jackson Township Fire Fighters Holiday Toy Program

**Jackson Township: 614-875-5588 • [www.jacksontwp.org](http://www.jacksontwp.org)**

The Jackson Township Fire Department continues their Firefighters for Kids program to provide toys during the holiday season to less fortunate children up to age 12.

### TO DONATE GIFTS:

#### Jackson Township Fire Stations

- Station 201: 4343 Grove City Rd.
- Station 202: 3650 Hoover Rd.
- Station 203: 2650 London-Groveport Rd.
- Station 204: 4900 Buckeye Pkwy.

**Through Fri., 12/18**

The Jackson Township Fire Department appreciates the huge role the public plays in supporting this program.

To donate, drop off a new, unwrapped toy or gift card at a Jackson Township Fire Station through Fri., 12/18.

### TO RECEIVE GIFTS:

#### Jackson Township Fire Department Station 202, 3650 Hoover Rd.

**Mon., 11/30 - Fri., 12/4, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.  
Wed., 12/2, 9 a.m.-8 p.m.**

Registration for an in-need child must be **completed in person** during the assigned hours. Applicants are required to bring a photo ID, utility bill with current address and a birth certificate for each child for whom assistance is requested. Applicants must live in Jackson Township response area.



# holiday celebrations



## Century Village Open House & Christmas Light Trolley Tour

**Century Village**, 3899 Orders Road, & **Grove City Museum**, 3378 Park St.

**Sat., 12/12; 4-8 p.m.**

**614-277-3050 • [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)**

Experience the sights of the holiday season! Stop by Century Village on your own or ride on a trolley from the Grove City Museum to Century Village and back, driving past decorated houses along the length of Park Street and the Grant Homestead.

Century Village offers a charming Christmas experience complete with the historical buildings adorned with traditional decorations and music, wassail and cookies, and visits with Saint Nick.

Tours are free, but donations to the Grove City Food Pantry of non-perishable food, personal care items and money are encouraged.

## Park Street Christmas Lighting Contest

**Park Street**, Elm St. to Haughn Rd.

**December**

**Grove City Town Center, Inc. • [www.grovecitytowncenter.org](http://www.grovecitytowncenter.org)**

Residents along Park Street from old Beulah Park to Haughn Road are encouraged to join the festive yuletide fun by decorating their houses and businesses to be enjoyed by visitors to historic Grove City during the holidays.

## Nutcracker Window Display

**City Hall**, 4035 Broadway

**Sat., 12/5 - Sun., 1/3; Sat.-Sun., noon-10 p.m.; Mon.-Fri., 4-10 p.m.**

**614-277-3050 • [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)**

Grove City continues its Christmas tribute to the Nutcracker with an animated window display reminiscent of retail displays from the 1950s that depicts fanciful scenes from the classic tale of Clara and the battle between her beloved Nutcracker and the Mouse King.

## Historic Christmas Display

**Grove City Museum**, 3378 Park St.

**Wed., 12/16  
Mon.-Fri., 10 a.m.-4 p.m.,  
Tue., 10 a.m.-8 p.m.**

**614-277-3061 • [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)**

Step back in time to enjoy the nostalgic charm of festive holiday decorations from the past half century.

# City Events

## Santa's Mailbox

**Park Street**, in front of Grove City Library

**Mon., 11/30 - Sun., 12/6**

**[GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)**

Santa Claus wants to hear from the children of Grove City before he comes to town for the annual Christmas celebration. Mail a letter to the jolly old elf by dropping it in Santa's special express mailbox. Please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope with every letter to Santa to receive a response.

## Grove City Community Winds Christmas Concert

**Grove City High School**,  
4665 Hoover Rd.

**Sat., 12/12; 11 a.m.**

**Grove City Community Winds:  
[www.gccwinds.org](http://www.gccwinds.org)**

The Grove City Community Winds is a group of talented and dedicated area musicians providing quality musical entertainment. Join them for their annual concert featuring the finest yuletide music. Please bring a nonperishable donation for the Grove City Food Pantry.



# City News

## Big Splash Gift Certificates on Sale

City Hall, 4035 Broadway

Mon., 11/16 - Wed., 12/23

614-277-3050 • [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)

Give the gift of sunshine! Purchase gift certificates for the 2016 season at the early bird prices (\$10 discount) during a special holiday purchasing period.

A season pass at the Big Splash comes with special benefits including early entry and limited waiting with season-pass-only admission. Gift certificates must be redeemed during the spring season pass sales. To purchase a gift certificate, stop by City Hall from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.



## Construction Updates

Updates on construction and other traffic disruptions are shared by the City via social media.

- Sign up for the City's e-newsletter, "From the Grove," at [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)
- Like us at [www.facebook.com/GroveCityOhio](https://www.facebook.com/GroveCityOhio)
- Follow us at [www.twitter.com/GroveCityOhio](https://www.twitter.com/GroveCityOhio)

Additional information can be found at

- [www.OHGo.com](http://www.OHGo.com)
- [www.pavingtheway.org](http://www.pavingtheway.org).

## Parks and Recreation Is Moving to Kingston!

In early 2016, the Grove City Parks and Recreation office is relocating to the Kingston Center, 3226 Kingston Ave. Exact dates are not yet available, so check local newspapers, the Grove City website and social media for details. Register for the Grove City e-newsletter, "From the Grove," to stay up to date on this and other City news.

## Weather Emergencies

Whenever there is a snowfall of two or more inches and it is deemed a hazard to transportation, a snow emergency is declared. During a snow emergency, there is no parking on city streets marked with snow emergency signage; unattended vehicles are towed at the owner's expense. Snow emergencies are declared and lifted by the City administration. The City updates the website and issues an e-newsletter, Facebook and Twitter updates with every weather emergency. Find more information about snow removal and weather emergencies at [www.GroveCityOhio.gov](http://www.GroveCityOhio.gov).

Snow emergencies declared by the Grove City administration are not related to snow emergencies declared by the Franklin County Sheriff's Office which may restrict use of roadways by motor vehicles. Visit [sheriff.franklincountyohio.gov/info](http://sheriff.franklincountyohio.gov/info) for information.

## E-NEWS

Sign up for Grove City's e-newsletter, From the Grove, to receive information about community events, sports, road construction, and more.



# winter updates

## Grove City Gold Star Family Memorial Monument

**Donations Accepted at Heartland Bank, 2365 Old Stringtown Road**  
[www.hwwmohfoundation.org/grove-city.html](http://www.hwwmohfoundation.org/grove-city.html)

Efforts are currently underway to construct a Gold Star Families Memorial Monument in Grove City. The monuments are the vision of World War II veteran Hershel "Woody" Williams who earned the Medal of Honor for his acts of bravery during the Battle of Iwo Jima. Williams, shaped by his own military participation as well as the experience of delivering telegrams to families informing them that their loved one died in service as a cab driver, wants to honor and pay tribute to the families of the service members who have felt that loss. His goal is for at least one monument to be located in each state; 15 states currently have projects underway or complete.

The local effort is spearheaded by two members of the Grove City Division of Police, Sergeant Chris White and Officer John Darnell. Plans are for the Grove City monument to be located in the Town Center. Donations can be made through the Gold Star Families Memorial Monument website, [hwwmohfoundation.org/grove-city.html](http://hwwmohfoundation.org/grove-city.html), at Heartland Bank or by participating in fundraisers.

## Parks and Recreation Inclement Weather Policy

**City Hall, 4035 Broadway**

**614-277-3060 • [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)**

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Grove City Parks and Recreation programs may be canceled due to inclement weather. For cancellations, delays or program-specific details, visit [www.GroveCityOhio.gov](http://www.GroveCityOhio.gov), view the Grove City Facebook page, follow Grove City on Twitter or call the Weather Update/Information Line at 614-277-3060.

### Weekdays (before 4 p.m.)

Full-day School Cancellations: if South-Western City Schools (SWCS) close due to inclement weather, all Parks and Recreation classes offered with start times 4 p.m. or earlier are canceled. This encompasses activities not at school locations including the Gantz Barn and Evans Center. The Evans Center transportation program is closed when school is closed.

School Delays: a decision by SWCS to delay the start of the school day has no impact on the schedule for Parks and Recreation activities.

### Weeknights (4 p.m. and later)

The decision to conduct or cancel evening classes and programs at non-school locations is made by 3 p.m. However, programs scheduled at SWCS sites are canceled for the evening if school is closed.

### Weekends

In the case of severe snow or ice on Saturday or Sunday, a decision to conduct programs and classes is made by 8 a.m. on Saturday and noon on Sunday.

## Winter Trash & Recycling Schedule

Local Waste Services observes Christmas (Fri., 12/25) and New Year's Day (Fri., 1/1). There is no collection the day of the holiday and pickup is delayed one day for the remainder of the week. Routes normally collected on Fridays are serviced on Saturday that week.

**Christmas Tree Collection:** trees are collected up to two weeks after Christmas. Remove all decorations and place the tree at the curb. Do not put it in a plastic bag or bind with wire or plastic.

For details, call Local Waste Service at 614-409-9375 or the Grove City Service Department at 614-277-1100.

# City News



My whole goal for whatever time I have left in this world is trying to recognize and give tribute to those who have sacrificed a loved one at any point in time at any relationship in the history of our country.

- "Woody" Williams, 92  
 World War II Veteran  
 Medal of Honor Recipient

## STAY CONNECTED: City of Grove City E-NEWS

Sign up for Grove City's free e-newsletter, From the Grove, to receive information about community events, sports, class registration, road construction, service updates and more.

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[GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)

# City News

# grove city police

## Cram the Cruiser Toy Drive

Grove City United Methodist Church,  
2684 Columbus St.

Sun., 12/6; 1-4 p.m.

614-277-1708 • [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)

Stop by the "Purple Door Church" to donate money or new, unwrapped gifts to support the efforts of the City of Grove City and Grove City Division of Police to put joy in the holiday season for children under the care of Franklin County Children Services (FCCS) due to abuse, neglect or other difficult home situations. Children can visit with Santa and get a photo taken with him.

**Donations also can be made at drop boxes at City Hall, the Evans Center, and the Safety Complex, 3360 Park St., from Mon., 11/23 through Fri., 12/4.**

For more information on the Holiday Wish program, contact FCCS at [holidaywish@fccs.us](mailto:holidaywish@fccs.us) or 614-275-2525, or visit [fccsholidaywish.franklincountyohio.gov](http://fccsholidaywish.franklincountyohio.gov).

## STAY CONNECTED: Grove City Police

### E-NEWS

Sign up for Grove City's free e-newsletter, From the Grove. Check "Crime Alerts: Grove City Police."

### FACEBOOK

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### TWITTER

[twitter.com/GroveCityPolice](https://twitter.com/GroveCityPolice)

### WEBSITE

[GroveCityOhio.gov/division-of-police](http://GroveCityOhio.gov/division-of-police)



## Grove City Police Add Canine Unit

Division of Police Officer Brian Kitko is protecting Grove City with a new partner. Max, a 2-year-old Belgian Malinois (mal-uhn-wah), recently joined Officer Kitko to become Grove City's first canine unit since the 1960s. The duo are certified through the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission with Max qualified as a dual-purpose dog trained to detect drugs including heroin as well as to track evidence and suspects or missing persons. Max was imported from France and trained through Storm Dog, a training facility in Delaware County. He understands multiple languages and is anticipated to have an active service life of six to eight years.

Max lives with Officer Kitko when they are off duty, but he is not a pet. Members of the public should stay at least six feet away, and not attempt to pet the dog or move between him and the officer without specific permission from Officer Kitko. It is against Ohio law to assault, harass or tease a police dog.

## Grove City Division of Police Services

The [Grove City Online Police Reporting System](http://GroveCityOnlinePoliceReportingSystem.com) allows residents with active email accounts to conveniently submit non-emergency incident reports through an easy-to-use reporting tool for crimes that are not in progress or involve injuries, suspects or crime scene evidence. The data helps police identify areas of heightened activity and peak time periods for crime. Once submitted, reports are reviewed and assigned a follow-up case number if appropriate. Users receive an email copy of the report once it is approved. Call police if someone physically takes something from your person, there is a scene to process or a known suspect. Visit [GroveCityOhio.gov/division-of-police/online-reporting](http://GroveCityOhio.gov/division-of-police/online-reporting) for more information or contact the Grove City Division of Police at 614-277-1710.

**Smart911** is a service the Grove City Division of Police is using to improve responsiveness during emergencies. Visit [www.smart911.com](http://www.smart911.com) to sign up and create a household profile. If you call 911 in a participating community from a phone linked to your profile (cell phones included), your information is displayed on the 911 call taker's screen. Dispatchers share it with first responders when details can save seconds – and lives.

A **Rx Drug Drop Box** is available in the Grove City Safety Complex lobby for anonymous disposal of medicine (solid forms only) day or night.

**S.A.L.T.** (Seniors and Law Enforcement Together) meets at 1 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month at the Evans Center. Representatives from Grove City Police and Jackson Township Fire share information about community services and crime and safety issues important to seniors. For information contact the crime prevention coordinator at 614-277-1765.

## Safety Contact Numbers

**EMERGENCY: 911**

**Police Non-emergency**  
614-277-1710

**Fire Non-emergency**  
614-277-1713

**Anonymous Tip Line**  
614-277-1808

**Administration**  
614-277-1700

**Community Services**  
614-277-1740

# Parks & Facilities

## 2016 Opening Dates for Shelter & Field Reservations

### Eagle Pavilion:

Up to 365 days within intended reservation date

### Windsor Park & Evans Park Baseball Fields:

Drafts are Sat., 12/3 & 12/12

### Gantz Park Shelters & Gazebo

Tue. 1/19

### Windsor Park Shelter

Tue., 1/19

### Fryer Park Softball Fields

Tue., 1/19

To check availability or make a reservation, contact the Parks and Recreation Office: 614-277-3050

## Baseball and Softball Field Rentals

### Windsor, Evans and Fryer Parks

614-277-3050 • [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)

Grove City Parks and Recreation offers baseball and softball diamonds for rent for travel baseball and softball organizations or tournaments when not in use by the City.

The December before the season, a draft is held for Windsor Park rentals. Following the draft, reservations are determined on a first-come basis at the discretion of department personnel.

Teams not affiliated with Grove City Parks and Recreation interested in renting fields at Windsor Park for multiple dates should call 614-277-3050 for details on requirements and other information.

## Reminders:

- Shelters not listed on this page (see page 11) are available on a first-come basis.
- Food trucks require prior approval.
- A key to turn on electric in reserved shelters is available with a refundable \$25 deposit.
- Once there is a risk of freezing temperatures, water is turned off to outdoor rest room facilities.

## Shelter & Gazebo Rentals

### Gantz and Windsor Parks

614-277-3050 • [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)

Windsor and Gantz parks feature shelters large enough for family and company gatherings available for public rental. Windsor Park has a large shelter house and Gantz Park has a gazebo, and one large and one small shelter house. Shelters are available to the public year-round, dawn to dusk, and are open to use if not already reserved. Check the reservation sheets mounted on the shelters for walk-up availability.

Rental reservations for all outdoor shelters and the gazebo are accepted each year beginning in mid-January and are offered on a first-come basis. Make reservations in either or both of two time slots. Rental fees are due at the time of reservation and are subject to change. Weddings in the Gardens at Gantz are by special permission only. Renters wanting to use a shelter's electricity can obtain an access key up to three days before the reserved date for a \$25 deposit due at pickup; this fee refunded upon return of the key.

To reserve a shelter or gazebo, call the Parks and Recreation Office. All other gazebos and shelters at City parks are available to the public for walk-up use on a first-come basis, as are the rentable shelters when not already reserved.

### Gantz Park Large Shelter

11 a.m.-3 p.m.	\$50 (\$65 NR)
4-8 p.m.	\$50 (\$65 NR)
11 a.m.-8 p.m.	\$90 (\$120 NR)

### Gantz Park Gazebo

11 a.m.-3 p.m.	\$40 (\$55 NR)
4-8 p.m.	\$40 (\$55 NR)
11 a.m.-8 p.m.	\$70 (\$100 NR)

### Gantz Park Small Shelter

11 a.m.-3 p.m.	\$40 (\$55 NR)
4-8 p.m.	\$40 (\$55 NR)
11 a.m.-8 p.m.	\$70 (\$100 NR)

### Windsor Park Large Shelter

11 a.m.-3 p.m.	\$40 (\$55 NR)
4-8 p.m.	\$40 (\$55 NR)
11 a.m.-8 p.m.	\$70 (\$100 NR)



Eagle Pavilion



Gantz Park (Large)

## Eagle Pavilion Rental

### 3670 Discover Dr., Fryer Park

614-277-3050 • [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)

Eagle Pavilion offers Grove City residents an opportunity to host an event in the beautiful natural surroundings of Fryer Park while enjoying year-round protection from the elements. The facility features an open design with generous natural lighting, an outdoor patio area, a warming kitchen and large bathrooms.

Reservations are offered on a first-come basis within a year of the requested date. Reservations are limited to Grove City residents age 21 or older (must live within the corporation limits of Grove City or unincorporated Jackson Township or be employed in Grove City as outlined in the Fair Share Policy). Proof of eligibility is required at the time of reservation.

The reservation is final once all fees are paid and the renter agreement application is complete; a copy of the signed reservation form and receipt serve as confirmation. A host is assigned to each event. This is a smoke-free and alcohol-free facility.

### Eagle Pavilion

8 a.m.-Noon	\$175
1-5 p.m.	\$175
6-10 p.m.	\$175
Any 2 time slots	\$350
8 a.m.-10 p.m.	\$475
Damage Deposit (refundable)	\$150



# Community Parks/Amenities

## The Big Splash Family Aquatics Center



Purchase a season pass or just pay for the day (residents or season pass holders and their guests only) and enjoy a variety of amenities including zero-depth entry, interactive water toys, a six-lane lap pool, a large body slide, a tot slide and two aquatic climbing walls. Out-of-the-water features include relaxing green space, lounge chairs, shade structures, presentation stage and a concession stand. Open daily Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day when South-Western City Schools are not in session.

## Breck Community Park



This park features walking and biking trails and a large pond. One-third of the park is reserved for fenced-in, off-leash dog areas divided into four sections, two each for larger (35 pounds and heavier) and smaller (34 pounds and lighter) dogs. These areas are rotated to maintain ground cover.

## Fryer Park



This educational and recreational destination offers options for every interest and season: be transported to the 1800s with authentic period buildings at Century Village, explore a space-themed play zone appropriate for all developmental abilities at Discovery Frontier; relax, fish and picnic by Rotary Lake; or enjoy a movie under the summer stars or a ride down the sledding hill after a snowfall. Other features include eight softball fields, miles of trails, and the Eagle Pavilion at Rotary Lake, a four-season shelter available for rental by Grove City and Jackson Township residents. The Grove City YMCA is located on the grounds of the park.

## Gantz Park



Walking paths through rolling terrain, a gazebo and wooded nature areas create the perfect setting for a stroll or picnic. This classroom of the natural world features professionally landscaped, themed herb gardens at the Gardens at Gantz. These gardens, anchored by the historic farmhouse, plus a meditative labyrinth and arboretum are key destinations in central Ohio. Shelter houses, a large playground and tennis and basketball courts keep families entertained. The Gantz Barn accommodates the RecSchool, preschool program.

## Grove City Skate Park



This state-of-the-art skate facility for skateboarders and in-line skaters offers something for every interest and skill level. The bowl boasts smooth concrete walls spanning three to 18 feet in height. Those preferring a street style can take advantage of ramps, blocks, rails and boxes.

## Henceroth Park



This eco-friendly, "green" park features solar lighting, a wooded nature trail and playground equipment made from recycled materials. A walk/run/bike path with exercise equipment, a butterfly garden and bluebird boxes are also noteworthy features. Several military tributes are located in this park.

## Windsor Park



This popular Grove City destination features 11 ball diamonds and batting cages serving preschoolers through adults of all skill levels in youth baseball and adult softball, four lighted tennis courts, a playground and a large shelter house. It is also home to the Evans Center, the hub for a multitude of programs and services for individuals 55 and older, and a specialized baseball field for youth with physical and mental challenges.

## Other Facilities

### Eagle Pavilion 3670 Discovery Drive

This rentable indoor facility with a warming kitchen and restrooms offers residents the opportunity to host an event in a beautiful park atmosphere during any season.

### The Evans Center 4330 Dudley Ave.

This 14,000-square-foot facility is home to diverse, cost-efficient, recreational, educational and health services for adults 55+, and program space for all ages. It serves as a hot-meal site for LifeCare Alliance's Meals-on-Wheels program.

### Fryer House 3899 Orders Road

At the entrance to Fryer Park, this facility offers program space for select youth programs; there are no public hours.

### Gantz Barn 2259 Home Road

This two-story barn hosts a variety of youth programs including the RecSchool early childhood program and enrichment classes. The Gantz Barn is not available for general public use.

### Gantz Farmhouse 2255 Home Road

Herbs rule this historic farmhouse, home to the Gardens at Gantz volunteers and site of plant-focused workshops and classes.

### Gantz Farmhouse 2255 Home Road

Herbs rule this historic farmhouse that serves as home to the Gardens at Gantz volunteers and is the site of many plant-focused workshops and classes for all ages.

### George Edge Music Park on Broadway Town Center Plaza, Park St. at Broadway

Central to many activities in Grove City's historic heart, the plaza hosts the Summer Sizzle Concert Series and is home to the community Christmas tree each December.

### Grant Homestead 4126 Haughn Road

The historic home of the Grant family is under development.

### Grove City Community Disc Golf Course 4770 Hoover Road

This 18-hole course on the grounds of the Grove City Church of the Nazarene allows groups of friends and families to experience the outdoors with a sport that can be enjoyed by all skill levels.

### Kingston Center 3226 Kingston Ave.

Site of a former school, this facility offers space for a monthly blood drive and a variety of recreational activities.

# Your Park System

The City of Grove City has more than 260 acres of public park land and continues to strive to preserve open space and green spaces as our community grows. Whether you're looking for a quiet neighborhood park or a great place to play a game of softball, you'll find it in Grove City.

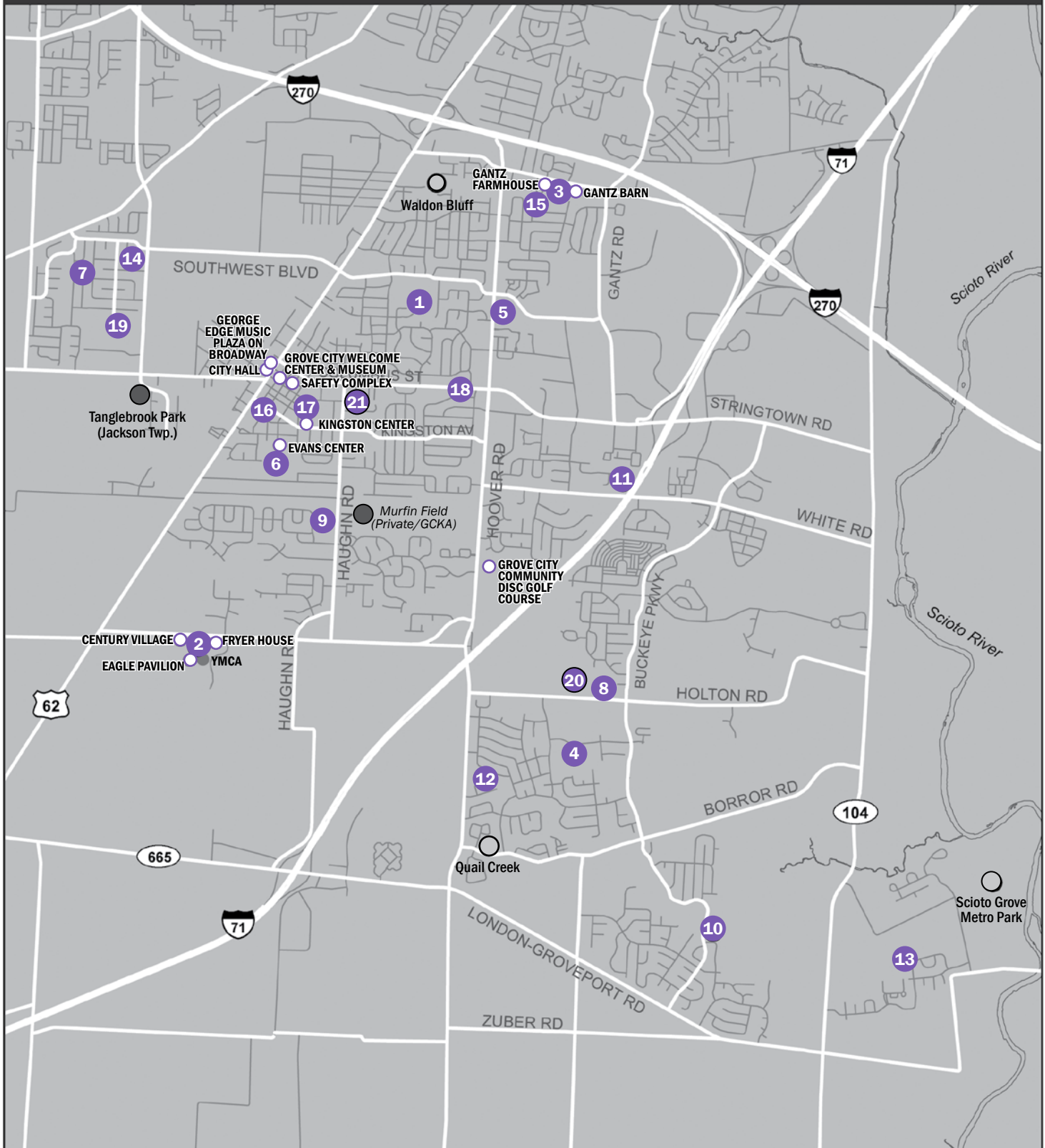
**WEATHER UPDATE/  
INFORMATION  
HOTLINE**  
**614-277-3060**

**MAIN OFFICE**  
**614-277-3050**

	Map No.	Ball Diamonds	Basketball	Bikeway Accessible	Dog Area (Off Leash)	Drinking Fountains	Grills	Nature Areas	Outdoor Restrooms	Parking Lot	Parking - On-street	Picnic Tables	Playground	Pond	Shelter/Gazebo	Soccer Fields	Swimming	Tennis Court	Trails - Walk/Bike	Acres
COMMUNITY PARKS	<b>Big Splash/Evans</b> 2831 Southwest Blvd.	1	●	●		●			●	●	●	●			●		●		●	10
	<b>Breck Community</b> 3005 Demorest Road	19			●	●			●	●				●					●	22
	<b>Fryer</b> 3899 Orders Road	2	●	●		●	●	●	●	●		●	●	●	●				●	110
	<b>Gantz</b> 2255 Home Road	3		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●		●			●	●	27
	<b>Grant Homestead*</b> 4126 Haughn Road	21																		1.8
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	<b>Pinnacle Area*</b> 2430 Holton Road	20																		34
	<b>Skate Park</b> 3728 Hoover Road	5				●			●	●										5
NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS	<b>Windsor</b> 4330 Dudley Ave. 4408 Broadway	6	●	●	●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●		●			●	●	38
	<b>Concord Lakes</b> Off Lake Mead Drive	7		●	●						●		●	●					●	10
	<b>Creekside</b> Off Holton Road	8			●						●		●		●					2
	<b>Hoover Park</b> Off Haughn Road	9			●		●	●			●		●	●					●	8
	<b>Indian Trails</b> Off Buckeye Parkway	10		●	●		●		●	●			●		●				●	5
	<b>Keller Farms</b> Off White Road	11		●						●			●		●					6.3
	<b>Meadowgrove</b> Off Springhill Drive	12									●	●	●		●					10
	<b>Scioto Meadows</b> Off Scioto Meadows	13		●								●	●		●					1.5
MINI PARKS	<b>Westgrove Park</b> 3580 Magnolia St.	14		●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●		●	●				6
	<b>Blodwen Park</b> Off Blodwen Circle	15			●						●		●		●					.5
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	<b>Sesquicentennial</b> Off Park Avenue	17									●								●	.25
	<b>Swearingen</b> Off Columbus Street	18				●	●				●	●	●							1

\*Undeveloped

Visit the City of Grove City online at: [www.GroveCityOhio.gov](http://www.GroveCityOhio.gov)



- Community or Neighborhood Park
- Township Park
- Undeveloped / Potential Park
- Point of Interest

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adult

# Team Sports



## TEAM SPORTS REGISTRATION DATES

Registration is completed on business days during the assigned month.

Youth sports participants register as an individual and receive a team jersey; registration must be completed in person at the Parks and Recreation office.

Adult sports participants register by team; uniforms are not provided.

### YOUTH SPORTS

Sport	Season	Registration Month
Baseball (ages 5-17)	Spring	February
Baseball (ages 5-17)	Fall	June
Volleyball (grades 3-12)	Late Fall	August
Basketball* (grades K-12)	Winter	October

\* Boys and girls compete in separate leagues.

### ADULT SPORTS

Sport	Season	Registration Month
Cornhole (21+)	Spring	March
Softball†	Summer	March
Cornhole (21+)	Summer	May
Cornhole (21+)	Fall	July
Softball †	Fall	July
Volleyball ‡	Fall	September
Cornhole (21+)	Winter	October
Volleyball ‡	Winter	December

† Men's, women's, and co-rec options

‡Co-rec only league

### Adult Co-rec Volleyball - Winter

Hit the indoor courts and spike your fun! Get a group of friends (minimum three females) together and match your volleyball skills against other local teams on Sundays and avoid cabin fever.

Grove City Recreation Center, Wks: 8  
4665 Hoover Road

Matches start Sun., 1/10

Fee: \$270 per team

**Register by team during December.**

### Adult Slow-pitch Softball

Form a team and hit the diamonds for fun and competition! Grove City offers competitive and recreational league opportunities playing one night a week for men's (Monday through Friday), women's (Monday), co-rec (Friday and Sunday), and church (Thursday) teams.

Fryer Park Wks: 10

Games start Sun., 4/10

Fee: \$360 per team

**Register by team during March.**

### Adult Cornhole - Spring (Age 21+)

Grove City Parks and Recreation partners with Tristano's Pizza to offer adult cornhole leagues on Thursdays. Teams play a minimum of two games per night (final number depends on size of league).

Tristano's Pizza Wks: 6

3306 Columbus St.

Matches start Thu., 4/14

Fee: \$45 per team

**Register by team of two during March.**

## Weather Cancellations

**Call the Weather Hotline at 614-277-3060 to check the status of events, sports and activities when conditions are unfavorable.**

**Look for updates at:**

- [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)
- [facebook.com/GroveCityOhio](https://facebook.com/GroveCityOhio)
- [twitter.com/GroveCityOhio](https://twitter.com/GroveCityOhio)

**Sports Weather Updates/Field Conditions:  
614-277-3060, option 4**

# Team Sports

## youth

### BE READY TO REGISTER!

Be prepared to provide the following at registration:

- Full payment fee
- Proof of residency (i.e. current utility bill, check stub, bank statement) to receive resident fee rate
- Parent/guardian signature on registration form
- Participant's T-shirt size
- Name and phone number for an emergency contact
- **Participant's birth certificate** if participating in the baseball program for the first time

### Preschool Baseball

Children younger than 5 on Aug. 31 are not eligible to participate in the spring-summer Grove City Little League®.

JumpStart Sports offers T-Birds T-ball, a six-week program at Windsor Park for ages 3 and 4 starting Fri., 5/6. See page 19 for details.

### Grove City Little League®

Grove City Parks and Recreation offers a baseball program for boys and girls ages 5-17 that teaches basic skills, sportsmanship, teamwork and enjoyment of the game. Our goal is to make the experience pleasurable for all children, parents and coaches.

#### Registration

Register, in person only, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. through 5 p.m., throughout February. Office hours are extended until 7 p.m., Tues., 2/23. Timely registration is important so players can participate in a mandatory observation. The registration form must be signed by a parent/legal guardian.

#### Observations

Players must take part in at least one observation. Dates will be available at registration.

#### All-star Teams

Grove City will field two tournament teams each for Minor 9-10 and Major leagues. A player must reside within the geographic boundary approved by Little League® International and must be within the proper age division to be eligible for an all-star team. There is a minimum number of games a player must play in order to participate in all-star tournaments.

#### Geography

A geographic boundary map approved by Little League® International determines eligibility for the all-star team. **This map does not determine fee levels.**

#### Age and Residency Requirements

All children ages 5-17 who live in Grove City or Jackson Township are eligible to participate at resident rates. Participants who reside outside the city/township corporate limits are eligible to play, but are required to pay an additional \$10 non-resident fee.

Grove City accepts players regardless of geographic location. However, any player who resides outside of the boundary is not eligible to play for an all-star team.

### Volunteer Youth Coaches

Grove City Parks and Recreation offers team recreational experiences for community youth with the important assistance of many volunteer baseball, volleyball and basketball coaches.

You don't have to be an expert! The department covers the cost of the certification required for head coaches. Baseball coaches are certified through Little League® International and basketball coaches through the National Youth Sports Coaches Association (online training). Coaches also must complete free, online instruction regarding concussions in youth sports.

Many opportunities also exist for assistant coaches to help. To be a volunteer coach, contact the Parks and Recreation office and complete a coaching application.

**Any person who assists with any on-the-field activities is required to pass a background check.**

### Important Dates

Dates are approximate and based on weather conditions

#### Registration

Mon., 2/1–Mon., 2/29

#### Observations

Dates available at registration

#### Practices

Mon., 4/4–Fri., 5/6

Canceled practices are not rescheduled

#### Opening Day

Sat., 5/7

#### Season

Sat., 5/7–mid-July

#### Make-up Games

Postponed games are made up on Saturdays

#### Sports Weather Update Line

614-277-3060

### League Placement & Fees

Age is based on how old the player is on **8/31/2016**.

#### T-ball (Age 5)

\$70 Resident      \$80 Non-Resident

#### Minor 6 (Age 6)

\$70 Resident      \$80 Non-Resident

#### Minor 7-8 (Age 7-8)

\$70 Resident      \$80 Non-Resident

#### Minor 9-10 (Ages 9-10)

\$90 Resident      \$100 Non-Resident

#### Major (Ages 11-12)

\$90 Resident      \$100 Non-Resident

#### Junior (Ages 13-14)

\$90 Resident      \$100 Non-Resident

#### Big League (Ages 15-17)

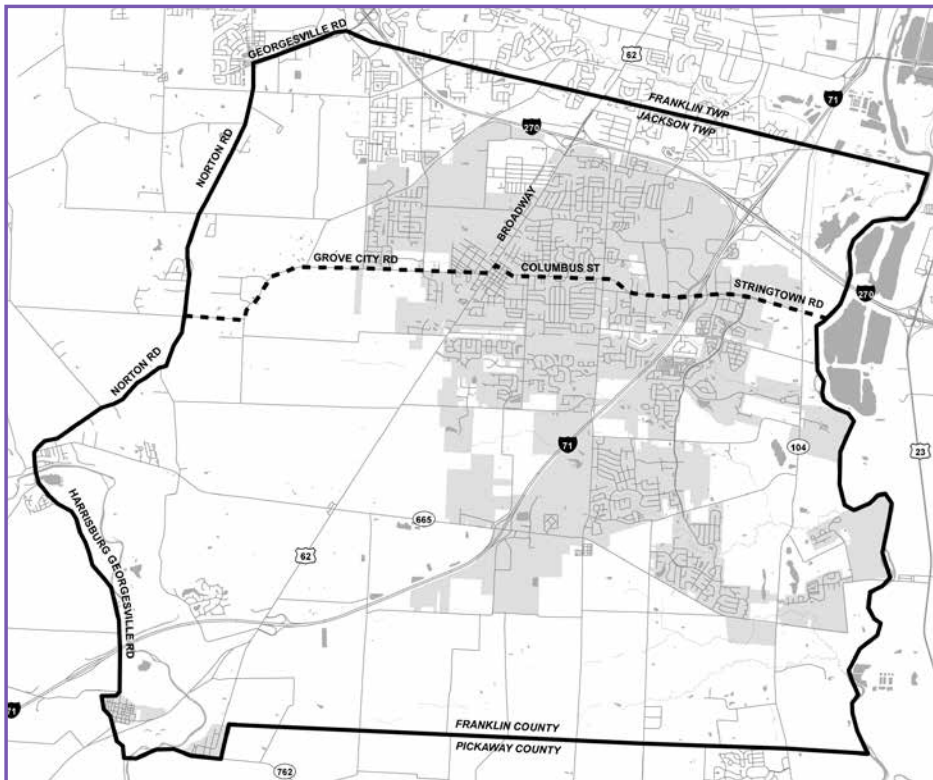
\$90 Resident      \$100 Non-Resident

# youth & coaching

# Team Sports

## Little League® Boundary Map

This map outlines the boundaries approved by Little League® International for the Grove City league. Players must live within the boundary to participate in all-star tournaments.



## Baseball Sponsorship Opportunities

Get high-profile exposure with your company name on team jerseys – we even make one for you. You can choose to sponsor your child's team. Call the Parks and Recreation Department at 614-277-3050 for more information on how to support youth baseball and make the community better.

Visit [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov) for details.

## Umpires Wanted - Paid

Grove City Parks and Recreation is accepting applicants for the 2016 youth baseball season. Umpires are needed for Minor through Big League divisions. Officials must be certified by the Ohio High School Athletic Association. If interested, call the Parks and Recreation office at 614-277-3050.

## Grove City Youth Sports: Thank You!

Without the support of our sponsors and volunteers, the Grove City Parks and Recreation Department would not be able to offer such successful recreational programs for local boys and girls. Thanks to all who participated in and supported the 2015 fall baseball and volleyball seasons, including sponsors, players, coaches, assistant coaches and parents.

### HEAD FALL BASEBALL COACHES

<b>Brandon Adams</b>	Greg Kirchner
Greg Allmon	<b>Adam Letner</b>
<b>Josh Baisden</b>	Erica Marvin
Larry Barker	<b>David Masterson</b>
<b>Dave Barrow</b>	Bryon Moore
Steve Bartunek (2)	<b>Brandon Morgan</b>
<b>Mike Benedum</b>	Jeff Nutini
Burl Childress	<b>Keith Partridge</b>
<b>Ken Davy</b>	Nicholas Patrick
Joe Doonan	<b>Eric Pinson (2)</b>
<b>Ron Ellis</b>	Jeff Reynard
Tony Fabbro	<b>Aaron Robertson</b>
<b>Pat Foley</b>	Tom Schaffer
John Harding	<b>Clint Schrek</b>
<b>Rob Ijams</b>	Mark Schwartz
Josh Jewett	<b>Jim Speegle</b>
<b>Jeff Johnson</b>	Pat Stage
Bill Jones	<b>Scott Vandergrift</b>
<b>Scott Kelly</b>	Jeff Worthington

### HEAD VOLLEYBALL COACHES

Brooke Andrick	<b>Sarah Green</b>
<b>Sarah Barnhart</b>	Cleve Guffey
Shannon Barone	<b>Tara Hoffman</b>
<b>Jeff Bell</b>	Jason Kaufman
Jennifer Bennett	<b>Nicole Kreager</b>
<b>Steve Black</b>	Brandi Linder
Lisa D'Aurelio	<b>Damion Manns</b>
<b>Tina Deerman</b>	Fawn Miller
Peggy Dible	<b>Stephanie Ruckman</b>
<b>Jess Ebright</b>	Heather Smith
Molly Eichner	<b>Jeni Steinhauser</b>
<b>Jessica Fisher</b>	Taylor Stewart
Alison Foster	<b>Carey Susi</b>
<b>Michele Frump</b>	Peggy Taylor
Kelly Geddes	<b>Kevin Watkins</b>



# Preschool

## early learning

### PlayGroup (Age 2 with adult)

Two-year-olds and a parent or other caring adult enjoy preschool classroom experiences and activities including art, sensory activities, self-directed play, singing and movement during this fun hour. This program operates September through May with two different Friday morning class times: 9:15-10:15 a.m. and 10:30-11:30 a.m.

#### 2016-2017 PlayGroup Registration

Call Michele Demmy at 614-871-6330 for additional information or to be placed on the mailing list. PlayGroup registration for the next school year begins each May.

### Learning Together (Ages 2½-5 with adult)

Child and parent or other caring adult share hands-on learning activities promoting creative, academic and social skills as they paint, build with blocks, write, sing and dance. Everyone should dress for play and exploration.

Gantz Barn, Downstairs Wks: 9  
Day: Tue., 1/19; 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$54 (NR \$62)

**Activity #: 301161.08**

### Friday PlaySchool (Ages 3-4)

Children gain independence while learning to work and play with other children in a classroom setting. Each week includes creative art opportunities, cooperative play, singing, sensory experience and circle time.

#### SESSION I

Gantz Barn, Upstairs Wks: 10  
Day: Fri., 1/15; 12:30-1:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$60 (NR \$68)

**Activity #: 301161.03**

#### SESSION II

Gantz Barn, Upstairs Wks: 7  
Day: Fri., 4/8; 12:30-1:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$42 (NR \$47)

**Activity #: 404164.03**



### RecSchool Preschool

RecSchool, operated by Grove City Parks and Recreation Department, is a child-centered preschool program for pre-kindergarten children ages 3 and older. RecSchool is committed to fostering each child's feelings of competence, early social skills, independence, love of learning and appreciation for the natural environment. Curriculum is based on the Ohio Department of Education's Early Learning Content Standards and takes place within the context of play: the way children learn best.

The staff includes established professionals, with a variety of early childhood educational backgrounds. Classrooms are planned to support numerous art, literacy, music, science physical and social experiences. RecSchool is held at Gantz Barn in the beautiful natural setting of Gantz Park. The program operates from September through May. Half-day classes are offered two or three days per week. Children enrolled in the program must be 3 years old by Sept. 30 of that school year.

#### 2015-2016 RecSchool Registration

Call 614-871-6330 for information on any spaces currently available.

#### 2016-2017 RecSchool Registration

Please call 614-871-6330 for enrollment details or to be placed on the mailing list to receive complete information. Registration takes place on a first-come basis and continues until the program is full.

**Due to limited space, parents and other non-participants are required to wait outside the room for many classes. We apologize for the inconvenience.**



# dance & holidays

# Preschool

## Baby Ballet (Ages 3-4)

This basic ballet class introduces children to the fundamentals of ballet by developing coordination, balance and grace. Children sign up according to age and ability, and must be toilet trained. Ballet shoes or slippers are needed. Tami Kelly instructs. No class Wed., 2/3, 3/30.

### SESSION I

Gantz Barn, Upstairs Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 1/13; 5-5:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$55 (NR \$63)  
**Activity #: 301121.01**

### SESSION II

Gantz Barn, Upstairs Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 1/13; 5:30-6 p.m.  
Fee: \$55 (NR \$63)  
**Activity #: 301121.02**

### SESSION III

Gantz Barn, Upstairs Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 3/2; 5-5:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$55 (NR \$63)  
**Activity #: 403121.01**

### SESSION IV

Gantz Barn, Upstairs Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 3/2; 5:30-6 p.m.  
Fee: \$55 (NR \$63)  
**Activity #: 403121.02**



## Dancing Dolls (Age 3-5)

This upbeat favorite of basic dance is jam-packed with activities and exercises created just for preschoolers to help them develop coordination, rhythm and listening skills. No class Wed., 3/30.

### SESSION I (AGE 3)

Kingston Center Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 1/6; 6-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)  
**Activity #: 301122.01**

### SESSION II (AGE 3)

Kingston Center Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 2/24; 6-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)  
**Activity #: 302122.01**

### SESSION III (AGES 4-5)

Kingston Center Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 1/6; 6:30-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)  
**Activity #: 301122.02**

### SESSION IV (AGES 4-5)

Kingston Center Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 2/24; 6:30-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)  
**Activity #: 302122.02**

## Cheerleading (Ages 4-5)

Today's cheerleaders are more exciting, talented and skilled than ever. Students learn cheerleading techniques including jumps, chants, cheers and pom-pom routines. Wear comfortable clothing and athletic shoes.

Kingston Center Wks: 10  
Day: Thu., 1/14; 6-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$50 (NR \$54)  
**Activity #: 301117.01**

## Peter Cottontail (Ages 2-4 with adult)



Hop on down the bunny trail and join the Easter fun! Enjoy spring activities and songs then hunt for eggs and meet the Easter Bunny. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Bring a basket/bag for gathering eggs. Rain or shine; dress for the weather.

### SESSION I

Gantz Barn, Downstairs  
Day: Tue., 3/22; 6-6:45 p.m.  
Fee: \$8 (NR \$10)  
**Activity #: 404161.05**

### SESSION II

Gantz Barn, Downstairs  
Day: Tue., 3/22; 7-7:45 p.m.  
Fee: \$8 (NR \$10)  
**Activity #: 404161.06**

## Don't Wait!

See a class or program that interests you? Sign up early. Activities require space and materials. They may be canceled if not enough people register in time.

# Preschool

# gymnastics & fitness

There is limited space for inside programming. Please do not use equipment unless you are registered for the class and be careful to not disrupt classes, damage facilities or put yourself or other patrons in danger.

Children should be supervised at all times.

Thank you for your cooperation.

## Did you know Fryer Park has a sledding hill?

See pages 9-12 for a map, addresses and amenities of Grove City parks.

### Pandas (Ages 3-4)

Swing, bounce and tumble into fitness in this fun-filled class using parachutes, tunnels, beams and much more. No class Mon., 1/18; Tue., 3/29.

#### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 12  
Day: Mon., 1/11; 6-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$62 (NR \$67)  
**Activity #: 301116.04**

#### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 12  
Day: Mon., 1/11; 6:30-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$62 (NR \$67)  
**Activity #: 301116.05**

#### SESSION III

Kingston Center Wks: 12  
Day: Tue., 1/12; 5-5:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$62 (NR \$67)  
**Activity #: 301116.06**

#### SESSION IV

Kingston Center Wks: 12  
Day: Tue., 1/12; 5:30-6 p.m.  
Fee: \$62 (NR \$67)  
**Activity #: 301116.07**

### Bear Cubs (Age 2 with Adult)



Parents and their active 2-year-olds spend 30 minutes of quality time together climbing, jumping and flipping. No class Mon., 1/18.

#### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 14  
Day: Mon., 1/11; 5-5:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$62 (NR \$67)  
**Activity #: 301116.01**

#### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 14  
Day: Mon., 1/11; 5:30-6 p.m.  
Fee: \$62 (NR \$67)  
**Activity #: 301116.02**

### Polar Bears for Boys (Ages 3-4)

This all-boys gymnastics class incorporates the five major components of physical fitness in a high-energy atmosphere. No class Tue., 3/29.

Kingston Center Wks: 12  
Day: Tue., 1/12; 6-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$62 (NR \$67)  
**Activity #: 301116.09**

### JumpBunch! (Ages 1½-2)

Grove City Parks and Recreation is excited to partner with JumpBunch for a series of fitness classes offering a positive, energetic introduction to sports. Young children develop new skills, coordination, self confidence and a healthy lifestyle as they see, touch and experience a different sport each session.

#### FREE TRY ME CLASS (18-24 MONTHS)

Kingston Center  
Day: Sat., 1/16; 9:30-10 a.m.  
**Activity #: 301143.02**

#### SESSION I (AGES 18-24 MONTHS)

Kingston Center Wks: 8  
Day: Sat., 1/23; 9:30-10 a.m.  
Fee: \$70 (NR \$78)  
**Activity #: 301143.01**

#### SESSION II (AGES 18-24 MONTHS)

Kingston Center Wks: 7  
Day: Sat., 4/9; 9:30-10 a.m.  
Fee: \$62 (NR \$70)  
**Activity #: 405143.01**

#### FREE TRY ME CLASS (AGE 2)

Kingston Center  
Day: Sat., 1/16; 10-10:30 a.m.  
**Activity #: 301143.04**

#### SESSION III (AGE 2)

Kingston Center Wks: 8  
Day: Sat., 1/23; 10-10:30 a.m.  
Fee: \$70 (NR \$78)  
**Activity #: 301143.03**

#### SESSION IV (AGE 2)

Kingston Center Wks: 7  
Day: Sat., 4/9; 10-10:30 a.m.  
Fee: \$62 (NR \$70)  
**Activity #: 405143.03**

### Sporties for Shorties (Ages 3-5)

Powered by JumpBunch, preschoolers develop hand- and foot-eye coordination and social skills as they learn proper techniques for kicking, running, throwing and catching in team sports activities such as football, basketball and soccer while teamwork is emphasized.

#### FREE TRY ME CLASS

Kingston Center  
Day: Sat., 1/16; 10:30-11:15 a.m.  
**Activity #: 301143.06**

#### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 8  
Day: Sat., 1/23; 10:30-11:15 a.m.  
Fee: \$70 (NR \$78)  
**Activity #: 301143.05**

#### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 7  
Day: Sat., 4/9; 10:30-11:15 a.m.  
Fee: \$62 (NR \$70)  
**Activity #: 405143.05**





# karate & sports

## Karate: Peewee (Ages 4-7)

Students are taught basic punching, kicking and blocking techniques. The instructor evaluates participants at the beginning of the session for level placement.

### MONDAY BEGINNER

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Mon., 1/4; 5-5:30 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301151.01**

#### SESSION II

Day: Mon., 2/22; 5-5:30 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302151.01**

#### SESSION III

Day: Mon., 4/11; 5-5:30 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404151.01**

### TUESDAY BEGINNER

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Tue., 1/5; 6-6:30 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301151.05**

#### SESSION II

Day: Tue., 2/23; 6-6:30 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302151.05**

#### SESSION III

Day: Tue., 4/12; 6-6:30 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404151.05**

### WEDNESDAY BEGINNER

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Wed., 1/6; 5-5:30 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301151.02**

#### SESSION II

Day: Wed., 2/24; 5-5:30 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302151.02**

#### SESSION III

Day: Wed., 4/13; 5-5:30 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404151.02**

### THURSDAY BEGINNER

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Thu., 1/7; 6-6:30 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301151.06**

#### SESSION II

Day: Thu., 2/25; 6-6:30 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302151.06**

#### SESSION III

Day: Thu., 4/14; 6-6:30 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404151.06**

### MONDAY ADVANCED

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Mon., 1/4; 5:30-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301151.03**

#### SESSION II

Day: Mon., 2/22; 5:30-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302151.03**

#### SESSION III

Day: Mon., 4/11; 5:30-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404151.03**

### TUESDAY ADVANCED

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Tue., 1/5; 6:30-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301151.07**

#### SESSION II

Day: Tue., 2/23; 6:30-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302151.07**

#### SESSION III

Day: Tue., 4/12; 6:30-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404151.07**

### WEDNESDAY ADVANCED

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Wed., 1/6; 5:30-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301151.04**

#### SESSION II

Day: Wed., 2/24; 5:30-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302151.04**

#### SESSION III

Day: Wed., 4/13; 5:30-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404151.04**

### THURSDAY ADVANCED

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Thu., 1/7; 6:30-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301151.08**

#### SESSION II

Day: Thu., 2/25; 6:30-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302151.08**

#### SESSION III

Day: Thu., 4/14; 6:30-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404151.08**

# Preschool

## JumpStart Sports Programs

JumpStart Sports provides children with a foundation for growth while nurturing a love of sports. Through recreation-based programs, children learn character and life skills that lead to happiness and success with the fundamentals of athletics in a fun, organized environment. Each participant receives a shirt and merit award. Dress in appropriate athletic clothing and shoes and bring a snack, water bottle and sunscreen. **For details and to register, visit [www.JumpStartSports.com](http://www.JumpStartSports.com).**

### Little Hoop Stars (Ages 4-5)

Learn the basics of dribbling, passing, shooting, positioning, defense and rebounding in a fun-focused instructional and recreational basketball program. Then apply new skills in low-competition games. Includes team shirt. JumpStart Sports coaches use a well-organized, age-appropriate format.

#### SESSION I

2695 Holt Road **Wks: 6**  
Day: Tue., 1/12; 6:15-7:15 p.m.  
Fee: \$60

#### SESSION II

2695 Holt Road **Wks: 6**  
Day: Tue., 1/12; 7:15-8:15 p.m.  
Fee: \$60

**Register at [www.JumpStartSports.com](http://www.JumpStartSports.com)**

### T-Birds T-ball (Ages 3-4)

Preschoolers learn to bat off a tee, field, throw and catch, then apply those new skills in fun, non-competitive games. Parents are encouraged to assist. Includes MLB®-replica cap. Fee includes a team T-shirt and award. No class Fri., 5/27.

#### SESSION I

Windsor Park **Wks: 6**  
Day: Fri., 5/6; 4:30-5:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$55

#### SESSION II

Windsor Park **Wks: 6**  
Day: Fri., 5/6; 5:30-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$55

#### SESSION III

Windsor Park **Wks: 6**  
Day: Fri., 5/6; 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$55

**Register at [www.JumpStartSports.com](http://www.JumpStartSports.com)**

# Youth

# childcare & games

## Human, Hungry Hippos (Ages 8-12)

Ready for a chomping good time? Join in a life-sized version of a classic board game. "Hungry, Hungry Hippos is the name of the game. If you want to win the game, you gotta take good aim!" Work with teammates to "eat" the most using scooters and baskets.

Kingston Center  
Day: Wed., 4/13; 6:30-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$12 (NR \$14)  
**Activity #: 404264.02**

## Wacky Winter Games (Ages 6-12)

Outside flurries, inside no worries! Join us indoors for wacky winter fun. See who's the best at the cheese ball throw, shoe toss, paper snowball battle and more.

Kingston Center  
Day: Fri., 1/22; 6:30-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$12 (NR \$14)  
**Activity #: 301264.01**

**There is limited space for inside programming. Please do not use equipment unless you are registered for the class and be careful to not disrupt classes, damage facilities or put yourself or other patrons in danger.**

**Children should be supervised at all times.**

**Thank you for your cooperation.**



## P.A.R.K. (Grades K-4)

Programmed After-school Recreation for Kids is committed to providing a safe, secure, enriching and affordable place to be after school. This school-age childcare program offers daily after-school activities for children in kindergarten through grade four staffed by qualified childcare providers at each site. P.A.R.K. operates in the school gymnasiums every day the South-Western City Schools are in session. The program is designed for, but not limited to, children of working parents. P.A.R.K. provides planned cooperative games, outrageous play, fitness, indoor and outdoor activities, free art, special-interest and free-choice activities and much more. Please pack a nutritious snack daily.

**Locations:** Buckeye Woods, J.C. Sommer, Highland Park, Monterey and Richard Avenue elementary schools (limited spaces)

**Time:** 2:40-6 p.m.

**Fee:** \$185 monthly per child with a \$30 non-refundable registration fee

## Before-school P.A.R.K. (Grades K-4 & Intermediate)

Before-school P.A.R.K. creates a safe, fun environment for children in the morning hours before school starts. The monthly tuition fee includes a nutritious breakfast and supervised recreational activities. This program meets every day the South-Western City Schools are in session. Transportation to the child's home school is provided by the South-Western City Schools Transportation Department; Park Street Intermediate and J.C. Sommer students walk to school with P.A.R.K. staff.

### GRADES K-4: Buckeye Woods, Highland Park, J.C. Sommer, Richard Avenue & Monterey Elementary Schools

**Location:** Kingston Center, 3226 Kingston Ave.

**Time:** 6 a.m. until buses transport to Buckeye Woods, Highland Park, Richard Avenue & Monterey elementaries; J.C. Sommer students walk accompanied to school

**Fee:** \$93 monthly per child with a \$30 non-refundable registration fee (\$30 fee is waived if child also registers for P.A.R.K. after-school program)

### INTERMEDIATE: Hayes, Holt Crossing & Park Street Intermediate Schools

**Location:** Kingston Center, 3226 Kingston Ave.

**Time:** 6 a.m. until buses transport to Hayes & Holt Crossing intermediate schools; Park Street participants walk accompanied to school

**Fee:** \$105 monthly per child with a \$30 non-refundable registration fee

# fitness & sports

# Youth

## Speed Training (Ages 8-18)

Gain an edge on the competition! Build quickness through increased flexibility, improved running technique and cardiovascular endurance. SWCS phys. ed. teacher, Mike Kusan, instructs. No class Mon., 1/18, 2/15.

### AGES 8-12

#### SESSION I (7 CLASSES)

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 1/4; 5:30-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$88 (NR \$98)

**Activity #: 301243.01**

#### SESSION II (8 CLASSES)

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 2/1; 5:30-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$100 (NR \$110)

**Activity #: 302243.01**

#### SESSION III (6 CLASSES)

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 3/2; 5:30-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$75 (NR \$83)

**Activity #: 403243.01**

#### SESSION IV (8 CLASSES)

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 4/4; 5:30-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$100 (NR \$110)

**Activity #: 404243.01**

### AGES 13-18

#### SESSION I (7 CLASSES)

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 1/4; 4:30-5:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$88 (NR \$98)

**Activity #: 301243.02**

#### SESSION II (8 CLASSES)

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 2/1; 4:30-5:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$100 (NR \$110)

**Activity #: 302243.02**

#### SESSION III (6 CLASSES)

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 3/2; 4:30-5:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$75 (NR \$83)

**Activity #: 403243.02**

#### SESSION IV (8 CLASSES)

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 4/4; 4:30-5:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$100 (NR \$110)

**Activity #: 404243.02**

## Jump Rope (Ages 7-18)

Learn skills for the interactive sport of jump rope. Build endurance while having fun and challenging yourself with double-unders (popular in cross fit) and tricks done by the Flight Crew Jump Rope as seen on America's Got Talent. Participants are evaluated and divided by skill level at the first class. Purchase a jump rope (\$5 or \$15) from instructor at the first class (required). No class Wed., 3/2.

Kingston Center Wks: 8  
Day: Wed., 2/3; 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$64 (NR \$72)

**Activity #: 302261.03**

## Skating Lessons (Ages 4-12)

Learn basic roller skating skills at Skate America. Students receive free roller skates and may stay after lessons to practice. Register at Skate America, 4357 Broadway, or call 614-875-7606.

### SESSION I

Skate America, 4357 Broadway Wks: 5  
Day: Sat., 1/2; 10-11 a.m.  
Fee: \$59 (NR \$64)

**Register through Skate America**

### SESSION II

Skate America, 4357 Broadway Wks: 4  
Day: Sat., 2/6; 10-11 a.m.  
Fee: \$59 (NR \$64)

**Register through Skate America**

### SESSION III

Skate America, 4357 Broadway Wks: 4  
Day: Sat., 3/5; 10-11 a.m.  
Fee: \$59 (NR \$64)

**Register through Skate America**

### SESSION IV

Skate America, 4357 Broadway Wks: 5  
Day: Sat., 4/2; 10-11 a.m.  
Fee: \$59 (NR \$64)

**Register through Skate America**

## Zumba® Kids (Ages 5-11)

Rock with friends in an ultimate dance-fitness party for young Zumba® fans that features age-appropriate music and high-energy moves to get kids groovin' to the beat. Feel fearless on the dance floor - be yourself and dance like no one's watching! Led by licensed instructor Chauntel Horaney. Wear athletic shoes and clothes; bring a water bottle. No class Mon., 2/15, 3/28.

### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 5  
Day: Mon., 1/25; 6-6:40 p.m.  
Fee: \$32 (NR \$37)

**Activity #: 301245.01**

### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 5  
Day: Mon., 3/14; 6-6:40 p.m.  
Fee: \$32 (NR \$37)

**Activity #: 403245.01**

## Score One Sports

Score One Sports provides equal playing time with a focus on sportsmanship, teamwork and character instead of the score while still offering the experience and excitement of NFL® Flag Football.

Participants should wear pocket-free athletic pants/shorts and rubber cleats and bring a water bottle.

**For details and to register, visit  
[www.scoreonesports.com](http://www.scoreonesports.com).**

## NFL® Flag Football (Ages 4-12)

Learn the fundamentals of football in non-contact games featuring flag pulling instead of tackling. Practice is one hour before game time. Games last 40 minutes. Fee includes reversible NFL® jersey, mouth guard, flag belt and award.

Brookpark Middle School, Wks: 8  
2803 Southwest Blvd.  
Day: Sun., 4/17; Noon - 6 p.m.  
Fee: \$139 -

Register before 3/1 to save \$20  
**Register at [www.scoreonesports.com](http://www.scoreonesports.com).**



# Youth

# gymnastics & dance

## Cheernastics (Ages 6-12)

Modern cheerleading involves many floor exercises similar to gymnastics. Focus on the most popular gymnastics stunts cheerleaders use including round-offs, back handsprings and back tucks.

### SESSION I (AGES 6-8)

Kingston Center Wks: 10  
Day: Thu., 1/14; 6:30-7:10 p.m.  
Fee: \$55 (NR \$59)

**Activity #: 301217.01**

### SESSION II (AGES 9-12)

Kingston Center Wks: 10  
Day: Thu., 1/14; 7:15-7:55 p.m.  
Fee: \$55 (NR \$59)

**Activity #: 301217.02**

## Princess Ballet (Ages 5-6)

Develop coordination, balance and grace while being introduced to the fundamentals of ballet. Sign up according to age and ability. Soft-soled shoes or slippers are needed. Tami Kelly instructs. No class Wed., 2/3, 3/30.

### SESSION I

Gantz Barn, Upstairs Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 1/13; 6-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$55 (NR \$63)

**Activity #: 301221.01**

### SESSION II

Gantz Barn, Upstairs Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 3/2; 6-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$55 (NR \$63)

**Activity #: 403221.01**

## Ballet Basics (Ages 7-12)

Slightly older children just getting started are introduced to the fundamentals of ballet, developing coordination, balance and grace. Soft-soled shoes or dance slippers needed. No class Wed., 2/3, 3/30.

### SESSION I

Gantz Barn, Upstairs Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 1/13; 6:30-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$55 (NR \$63)

**Activity #: 301221.02**

### SESSION II

Gantz Barn, Upstairs Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 3/2; 6:30-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$55 (NR \$63)

**Activity #: 403221.02**

## Grizzlies (Ages 5-7)

Young gymnasts can't bear to miss this class covering basic tumbling and use of basic gymnastics equipment. No class Mon., 1/18; Tue., 3/29.

### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 12  
Day: Mon., 1/11; 7-7:40 p.m.  
Fee: \$65 (NR \$70)

**Activity #: 301216.01**

### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 12  
Day: Mon., 1/11; 7:45-8:25 p.m.  
Fee: \$65 (NR \$70)

**Activity #: 301216.02**

### SESSION III

Kingston Center Wks: 12  
Day: Tue., 1/12; 7-7:40 p.m.  
Fee: \$65 (NR \$70)

**Activity #: 301216.06**

## Tap Dance Fun (Ages 6-12)

Want a creative way to make some noise? Learn tap fundamentals, terminology and a dance routine. Start with simple exercises to develop strong tap techniques and add fun steps to move around the room. Tap or hard-soled shoes needed. No class Wed., 3/30.

### SESSION I (AGES 6-8)

Kingston Center Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 1/6; 7-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)

**Activity #: 301222.01**

### SESSION II (AGES 6-8)

Kingston Center Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 2/24; 7-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)

**Activity #: 302222.01**

## Polar Bears for Boys (Ages 5-7)

This all-boys gymnastics class incorporates the five major components of physical fitness in a high-energy atmosphere. No class Tue., 3/29.

Kingston Center Wks: 12  
Day: Tue., 1/12; 6:30-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$62 (NR \$67)

**Activity #: 301116.10**

## Koalas (Ages 8-10)

Participants perfect gymnastics basics and learn tumbling, vault, balance beam and more. No class Tue., 3/29.

Kingston Center Wks: 12  
Day: Tue., 1/12; 7:45-8:25 p.m.  
Fee: \$65 (NR \$70)

**Activity #: 301216.03**

### SESSION III (AGES 9-12)

Kingston Center Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 1/6; 7:30-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)

**Activity #: 301222.02**

### SESSION IV (AGES 9-12)

Kingston Center Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 2/24; 7:30-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)

**Activity #: 302222.02**

## Inclement Weather Policy

### Weekdays (start times 4 p.m. & earlier)

- If SWCS cancels, all daytime programs are canceled including Evans Center Transportation Program.

### Weeknights (start times later than 4 p.m.)

- Activities in city facilities: Grove City Parks & Rec. decides status by 3 p.m.
- Activities at SWCS buildings (i.e. basketball practice): canceled.

### Saturdays

- Grove City Parks & Rec. decides status by 8 a.m.

### Sundays

- Grove City Parks & Rec. decides status by noon

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# karate

# Youth

## Karate: Youth & Adult (Ages 8+)

Learn martial arts basics including punching, kicking and blocking techniques. Participants are evaluated at the beginning of the session for level placement.

### MONDAY BEGINNER

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Mon., 1/4; 6-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.01**

#### SESSION II

Day: Mon., 2/22; 6-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.01**

#### SESSION III

Day: Mon., 4/11; 6-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.01**

### TUESDAY BEGINNER

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Tue., 1/5; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.07**

#### SESSION II

Day: Tue., 2/23; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.07**

#### SESSION III

Day: Tue., 4/12; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.07**

### WEDNESDAY BEGINNER

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Wed., 1/6; 6-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.02**

#### SESSION II

Day: Wed., 2/24; 6-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.02**

#### SESSION III

Day: Wed., 4/13; 6-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.02**

### THURSDAY BEGINNER

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Thu., 1/7; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.08**

#### SESSION II

Day: Thu., 2/25; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.08**

#### SESSION III

Day: Thu., 4/14; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.08**

### MONDAY ADVANCED

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Mon., 1/4; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.03**

#### SESSION II

Day: Mon., 2/22; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.03**

#### SESSION III

Day: Mon., 4/11; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.03**

### TUESDAY ADVANCED

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Tue., 1/5; 5-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.05**

#### SESSION II

Day: Tue., 2/23; 5-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.05**

#### SESSION III

Day: Tue., 4/12; 5-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.05**

### WEDNESDAY ADVANCED

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Wed., 1/6; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.04**

#### SESSION II

Day: Wed., 2/24; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.04**

#### SESSION III

Day: Wed., 4/13; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.04**

### THURSDAY ADVANCED

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Thu., 1/7; 5-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.06**

#### SESSION II

Day: Thu., 2/25; 5-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.06**

#### SESSION III

Day: Thu., 4/14; 5-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.06**

## Karate: Peewee (Ages 4-7)

Grove City also offers karate for younger children ages 4 through 7. See page 19.

### TWICE PER WEEK

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$53 (NR \$58)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Mon.-Thu., 1/4; choose available  
**Activity #: 301251.09**

#### SESSION II

Day: Mon.-Thu., 2/22; choose available  
**Activity #: 302251.09**

#### SESSION III

Day: Mon.-Thu., 4/11; choose available  
**Activity #: 404251.09**



## Teens: Be a Part of the V.I.P. Program

Teens in 7th through 12th grades are eligible to join the Volunteer Involvement Program (V.I.P.). Teen volunteers donate their time and expertise while gaining service hours and a great feeling of helping others. Hours are conveniently tracked through the program.

Grove City offers many events and programs throughout the year, and participants in the teen V.I.P. volunteer program help make them successful. Join today to have fun and make a difference in the community.

Applications can be picked up at Grove City Parks and Recreation, 4035 Broadway, or downloaded at [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov).

## Teens: Check the Adult Section for More Options

Some adult classes allow older teens to participate. Look for ages indicators next to the class name on pages 26-33.

# Youth

# art & parties

## Jelly Bean Art (Ages 5-10)

Celebrate Easter by making crafts from these yummy treats: paint with jelly beans, prepare jelly bean trail mix (nut-free) and create jelly bean art and other Easter crafts.

Kingston Center  
Day: Thu., 3/17; 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$10 (NR \$12)  
**Activity #: 403264.01**

## Easter Graham House (Ages 5-12)

Decorate a graham-cracker house for Easter using your imagination and provided supplies including icing, jelly beans, peeps and more.

Kingston Center  
Day: Thu., 3/24; 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$10 (NR \$12)  
**Activity #: 403276.03**

## Valentines and More (Ages 6-12)

Celebrate Valentine's Day with friends. Spend an evening playing games, making crafts and doing other themed activities. Parents: drop off the kids and enjoy an evening out.

Kingston Center  
Day: Fri., 2/12; 7-9 p.m.  
Fee: \$14 (NR \$16)  
**Activity #: 302261.05**

## Clay Pot Leprechaun (Ages 5-12)

Turn mini clay pots into a leprechaun to guard your garden plants when he is not too busy digging holes to hide his pot of gold.

Gantz Farmhouse  
Day: Wed., 2/24; 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$10 (NR \$12)  
**Activity #: 302278.01**

## Art and Design (Ages 5-12)

Practice the elements of art and design while working with a variety of art media and focusing on techniques such as drawing, painting and collage. Take home a finished piece each week. Sonya Wells instructs. New projects each session. Dress to get messy or bring a coverup.

### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Tue., 1/5; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$40 (NR \$45)  
**Activity #: 301272.01**

### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Tue., 2/2; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$40 (NR \$45)  
**Activity #: 302272.01**

### SESSION III

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Tue., 3/1; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$40 (NR \$45)  
**Activity #: 403272.01**

### SESSION IV

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Tue., 4/5; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$40 (NR \$45)  
**Activity #: 404272.01**

## Studio Art (Ages 8-12)

Use a variety of supplies while exploring techniques to create multi-media art pieces on canvas, watercolor paper and more each week. Sonya Wells instructs. Dress to get messy or bring a coverup. New projects each session.

### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Wed., 1/6; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$40 (NR \$45)  
**Activity #: 301272.03**

### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Wed., 2/3; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$40 (NR \$45)  
**Activity #: 302272.02**

### SESSION III

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Wed., 3/2; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$40 (NR \$45)  
**Activity #: 403272.02**

### SESSION IV

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Wed., 4/6; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$40 (NR \$45)  
**Activity #: 404272.02**

## Luau Party (Ages 6-12)

Aloha! Be ready to join in the fun making crafts and playing games in the "summer" sun. Light tropical refreshments provided.

Kingston Center  
Day: Fri., 4/15; 6:30-9 p.m.  
Fee: \$16 (NR \$18)  
**Activity #: 404264.05**

## Ninja Turtle Party (Ages 5-10)

Fan of the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles? Join the shell-ebriation! Make your own Ninja Turtle gear and crafts, and play bodacious games (the Turtles' love of pizza makes an appearance).

Kingston Center  
Day: Thu., 2/25; 6:30-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$12 (NR \$14)  
**Activity #: 302264.03**

## Did you know Fryer Park has a sledding hill?

See pages 9-12 for a map, addresses and amenities of Grove City parks.



# science & cooking

# Youth

## Bricks 4 Kids (Ages 5-12)

Build fun, educational models using LEGO® bricks, motors and gears hands-on, expressing creativity while exploring concepts of STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) science and engineering. All materials provided and reused weekly. Build a different model each week.

### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 6  
Day: Thu., 1/7; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)  
**Activity #: 301276.03**

### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 6  
Day: Sat., 2/13; 10-11 a.m.  
Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)  
**Activity #: 302276.02**

## Challenge Island (Ages 6-13)

Explore creativity while using critical thinking skills to design, build and solve fun, thematic challenges: design rockin' roller coasters, rad rockets and awesome air-powered vehicles to push your boundless creativity to the limit during the Challenger Island STEM after-school enrichment program. For more, visit [www.Challenge-Island.com/29](http://www.Challenge-Island.com/29). No class Mon., 12/28, 1/18, 2/15.

### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 6  
Day: Mon., 12/14; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$125 (NR \$140)  
**Activity #: 312261.01**

### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 6  
Day: Mon., 2/8; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$125 (NR \$140)  
**Activity #: 302261.04**

## Snowman Science (Ages 5-12)

Join in the frosty fun! Perform science experiments using snow, ice, water and more. Dress to get messy.

Kingston Center  
Day: Thu., 2/18; 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$10 (NR \$12)  
**Activity #: 302261.02**

## Easter Egg Dye Workshop (Ages 5-15)

Use natural materials to dye Easter eggs instead of boxed chemical dyes in a child-sized version of the adult class. Prepare and dye a dozen eggs to take home. These real dyes will dye clothes, so dress to get messy.

Gantz Farmhouse Classroom  
Day: Wed., 3/23; 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$9 (NR \$10)  
**Activity #: 403278.03**

## Challenge Island: Minecraft Camp (Ages 6-13)

Take a spring break trip to Challenge Island to mine critical thinking, problem solving, science and teamwork! Join tribe mates to set up shelter in the micro world of Steve and the gang. Take on mine-crafty challenges by creating fences, critter catchers and catapults. Design your own wild mine train ride and take the fishing rodeo challenge!

Kingston Center  
Day: Mon., 3/28 - Fri., 4/1; 9 a.m.-1 p.m.  
Fee: \$188 (NR \$203)  
**Activity #: 403261.04**

## Mason Bee Houses (Ages 5-15)

Mason bees are gentle solitary pollinators that do not produce honey. Construct a bamboo house to encourage mason bees to take up residence in your garden. Dress to get messy!

Gantz Farmhouse  
Day: Wed., 4/13; 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$12 (NR \$14)  
**Activity #: 404278.03**



## Kids in the Kitchen

Join Julie Zelich and Sara Baer for another series of cooking adventures and learn basic kitchen safety and cooking techniques while creating delicious, healthy recipes.

## Kids in the Kitchen (Ages 6-9)

Enjoy a series of culinary adventures while learning basic kitchen safety and cooking techniques as you create fun, delicious recipes.

## CHOCOLATE, CHOCOLATE, CHOCOLATE

Gantz Farmhouse Wks: 3  
Day: Thu., 2/4; 6-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$38 (NR \$43)  
**Activity #: 302279.01**

## Herbal Slumber Pillow (Ages 5-16)

Be ready for the first slumber party of the year. Make a pillow and tuck inside a sweet slumber mix of roses and lavender to produce pleasant dreams. Dress in pajamas.

Gantz Farmhouse  
Day: Wed., 1/20; 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$15 (NR \$17)  
**Activity #: 301278.01**

# Adult

# enrichment

## Scrapbooking

Store photos in style: create two-page scrapbook layouts featuring a different "Close to my Heart" paper pack each session. Receive all papers, embellishments, inks and My Acrylix stamp set to complete layouts. Bring paper trimmer, scissors and tape runner.

\$30 additional fee due instructor two weeks before class. For payment, contact Melissa Corin-Ball at 614-284-1816 or melissa@busybeeartistry.com.

### SESSION I

Evans Center Classroom  
Day: Wed., 1/13; 6:30-8:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$5 (NR \$8) plus material fee

**Activity #: 301373.03**

### SESSION II

Evans Center Classroom  
Day: Wed., 2/3; 6:30-8:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$5 (NR \$8) plus material fee

**Activity #: 302373.04**

### SESSION III

Evans Center Classroom  
Day: Wed., 3/9; 6:30-8:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$5 (NR \$8) plus material fee

**Activity #: 403373.01**

### SESSION IV

Evans Center Classroom  
Day: Wed., 4/13; 6:30-8:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$5 (NR \$8) plus material fee

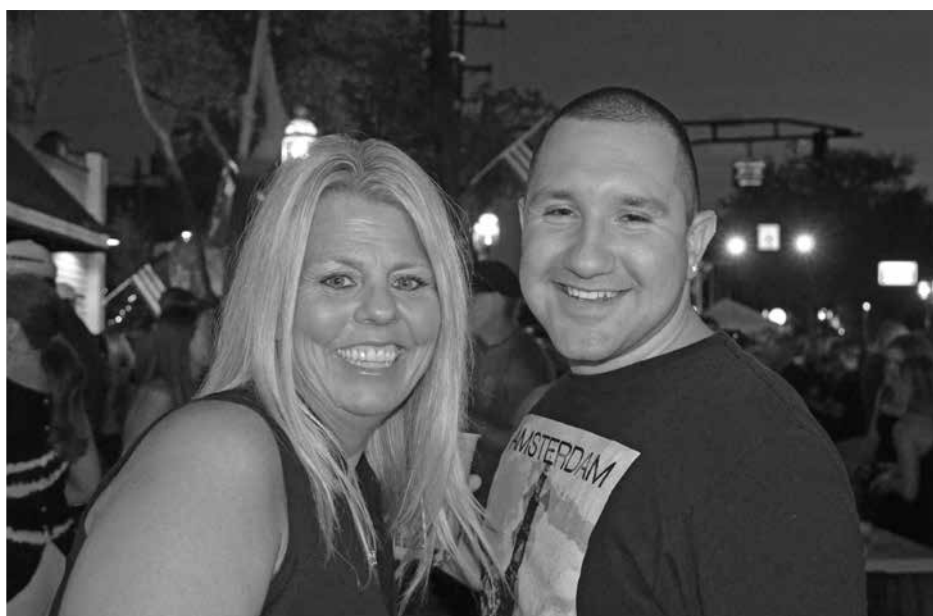
**Activity #: 404373.01**

## Easter Eggs the Natural Way

Dye real eggs using herbs, spices, vegetables and fruit. These organic dyes produce lovely muted colors found in nature. These real dyes stain clothes, so dress accordingly. Take home a dozen dyed eggs. Handouts provided.

Gantz Farmhouse Classroom  
Day: Tue., 3/22; 7-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$8 (NR \$10)

**Activity #: 403378.01**



## CPR Training (Ages 14+)

Learn to save a life. A Jackson Township firefighter and American Heart Association-certified instructor teaches aid to a choking victim, mouth-to-mouth resuscitation, and CPR techniques. Learn special methods for unconscious victims and choking infants/children. Earn a certification card upon successful completion of course.

### SESSION I

Jackson Twp. Fire Station 202  
3650 Hoover Rd.

Day: Tue., 1/19; 6-9 p.m.

Fee: \$40 (NR \$45)

**Activity #: 301361.06**

### SESSION II

Jackson Twp. Fire Station 202  
3650 Hoover Rd.

Day: Tue., 3/22; 6-9 p.m.

Fee: \$40 (NR \$45)

**Activity #: 403361.03**

## Fat Quarters Annual Quilting Retreat

Join members of the Fat Quarters Quilt Guild for an uninterrupted day of sewing at their annual quilting retreat. Work on a sofa-size mystery quilt, a charity sewing project or bring your own unfinished projects. Fee includes patterns, demonstrations, ample sewing space, unlimited support and a hot lunch, on-the-go supper and snacks.

Evans Center

Day: Sat., 1/23; 8 a.m.-8 p.m.

Fee: \$25 payable to Fat Quarters Quilt Guild by Wed., 1/13

**For more information or to register, call Michele Demmy at 614-875-3470.**

# blacksmith & beekeeping

# Adult

## Blacksmith Classes (Ages 15+)

Learn the timeless art and skill of this fascinating craft that turns lumps of metal into beautiful and useful items at the Augenstein-Spillman Blacksmith Shop in Century Village, 3899 Orders Road. Participants provide their own personal safety equipment. Do not wear loose or synthetic clothing. Participants take a finished product home. A \$25 material fee is due instructor at class.

### Introduction to Blacksmithing

Learn the fundamentals of moving and shaping metal. Build confidence working with fire and using traditional tools to make simple products. \$25 material fee due instructor.

#### SESSION I

Blacksmith Shop  
Day: Sat., 1/16; 8 a.m.-Noon  
Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)  
**Activity #: 301361.08**

#### SESSION II

Blacksmith Shop  
Day: Sat., 2/27; 8 a.m.-Noon  
Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)  
**Activity #: 302361.10**

#### SESSION III

Blacksmith Shop  
Day: Sat., 3/12; 8 a.m.-Noon  
Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)  
**Activity #: 403361.11**

#### SESSION IV

Blacksmith Shop  
Day: Sat., 4/9; 8 a.m.-Noon  
Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)  
**Activity #: 404361.17**

### Intermediate Blacksmithing

Move on to more in-depth shaping techniques including twist variations, controlled bending, scrolls and organic. Make decorative items and traditional household items.  
Prereq.: Beginning Blacksmithing.  
\$25 material fee due instructor.

#### SESSION I: HAMMER

Blacksmith Shop  
Day: Sat., 1/30; 8 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Fee: \$120 (NR \$128)  
**Activity #: 301361.11**

#### SESSION II: FLOWERS

Blacksmith Shop  
Day: Sat., 2/13; 8 a.m.-Noon  
Fee: \$80 (NR \$88)  
**Activity #: 302361.11**

#### SESSION III: HATCHET/TOMAHAWK

Blacksmith Shop  
Day: Sat., 3/26; 8 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Fee: \$120 (NR \$128)  
**Activity #: 403361.13**

#### SESSION IV: JOINERY (COLLARS & RIVETS)

Blacksmith Shop  
Day: Sat., 4/23; 8 a.m.-Noon  
Fee: \$80 (NR \$88)  
**Activity #: 404361.19**

## Beekeeping Seminar



Bees are vital for the pollination of many fruit, vegetable and seed crops in Ohio. Beekeeping is a fascinating hobby that helps the state economy and is practiced in urban, suburban and rural areas.

Learn if beekeeping is for you from the Central Ohio Beekeepers Association (COBA): what to purchase to set up a hive, how to purchase bees, where to place the hive and how to safely and responsibly care for bees.

Includes membership to the COBA, a book and handouts on beekeeping, and lunch and snacks. Hosted by the Gardens at Gantz Farm.

For information on COBA, visit [www.centralohiobeekeepers.org](http://www.centralohiobeekeepers.org)

Gantz Farmhouse Classroom  
Day: Sat., 2/27; 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$75

**Register through COBA**

## Mason Bee Houses



Mason bees are gentle, solitary pollinators that do not produce honey. Construct a bamboo house to encourage them to take up residence in your garden and learn about outdoor placement and winterization so the bees are ready to pollinate when spring arrives.

Gantz Farmhouse Classroom  
Day: Tue., 4/12; 7-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$12 (NR \$14)  
**Activity #: 404378.03**

## Blacksmithing Safely: Personal Safety Equipment

Blacksmithing is an art, but it involves fire and hot metal. Safety is important and certain equipment necessary. Wear/bring the following equipment to every class; do NOT wear loose or synthetic clothing.

- Leather shoes
- Tight leather gloves
- Safety glasses/full-face shield
- Long-sleeve cotton shirt
- Ear protection
- Optional: full-front leather apron and beanie/skull cap

## Southwest Franklin County Historical Society

The Southwest Franklin County Historical Society (SWFCHS) is dedicated to preserving and educating younger generations on the history of Franklin, Jackson, Pleasant and Prairie townships. They work with the City of Grove City and other community groups on events and in the development of the Century Village complex, re-creating a mid-19th century experience.

### SWFCHS Meetings

**St. John's Lutheran Church,**  
3220 Columbus Street

**1st Tuesday of Each Month**

**Steve Jackson • 614-871-0081**



# Adult

# dance

## Line Dance: Intermediate

Learn more than typical country-western routines, including the fundamentals of cha cha, waltz, rumba, swing and many other dance styles. Each routine is explained step-by-step while music is played. Have fun while getting great physical and mental exercise.

### SESSION I

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Thu., 1/7; 7-8:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$20 (NR \$22)  
**Activity #: 301323.01**

### SESSION II

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Thu., 2/25; 7-8:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$20 (NR \$22)  
**Activity #: 302323.01**

### SESSION III

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Thu., 4/7; 7-8:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$20 (NR \$22)  
**Activity #: 404323.01**

## Grove City Western Squares

The Grove City Western Squares offers square dancing lessons that will have novices promenading like a pro in no time. Instructor/caller Bob Daye leads as other members lend support.

## Square Dancing: Mainstream

Learn more advanced techniques that build upon the lessons of the Square Dancing: Basics class offered in the fall with more calls and more fun.

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 10  
Day: Mon., 12/14; 7:30-9:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$20 (NR \$25)  
**Activity #: 312327.03**

## Square Dancing: Plus

Learn the last set of moves to complete your journey to become a competent dancer. Other members support you as you master these moves.

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 12  
Day: Mon., 2/29; 7:30-9:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$20 (NR \$25)  
**Activity #: 302327.03**

## Zumba®

Latin and international music and cardio-based dance movements are incorporated into a dynamic fitness system featuring easy-to-follow steps that sculpt gluteus muscles, legs, arms and core, and strengthen the heart. This effective, innovative and exciting workout is for everyone, and is so much fun you won't realize you are exercising. Dana Olshefski instructs. For more information, visit [www.facebook.com/ZumbawithDanaO](http://www.facebook.com/ZumbawithDanaO).

Not sure Zumba® is right for you? Attend one class for FREE.

### Zumba® classes are sold by an eight-visit Punch Card.

- 1) Purchase a Punch Card using the appropriate Activity Number. A new card is available each month. Use the second Activity Number to purchase an additional 8 visits that month.
- 2) Bring your receipt to any class at the below days and times.
- 3) You will receive a Punch Card from the instructor entitling you to eight classes. You may attend class in any combination of days and times most convenient for you.
- 4) Your Punch Card is marked each time you attend a class.
- 5) Each Punch Card expires 90 days from the date of purchase. Punch Cards are not transferable.

Purchase a punch card good toward eight classes in any of the following class times:

- Thu., 5:45-6:45 p.m.
- Sat., 10:15-11:15 a.m.

No class Sat., 1/23, 3/19.

### JANUARY PUNCH CARD\*

Evans Center 8 Visits  
Day: Thu., Sat., 1/2  
Fee: \$42 (NR \$47)  
**Activity #: 301345.01** (visits 1-8)  
**Activity #: 301345.03** (visits 9-16)

### FEBRUARY PUNCH CARD\*

Evans Center 8 Visits  
Day: Thu., Sat., 2/4  
Fee: \$42 (NR \$47)  
**Activity #: 302345.01** (visits 1-8)  
**Activity #: 302345.02** (visits 9-16)

### MARCH PUNCH CARD\*

Evans Center 8 Visits  
Day: Thu., Sat., 3/3  
Fee: \$42 (NR \$47)  
**Activity #: 403345.01** (visits 1-8)  
**Activity #: 403345.03** (visits 9-16)

### APRIL PUNCH CARD\*

Evans Center 8 Visits  
Day: Thu., Sat., 4/2;  
Fee: \$42 (NR \$47)  
**Activity #: 404345.01** (visits 1-8)  
**Activity #: 404345.02** (visits 9-16)

**\*Expires 90 days after purchase; good toward any class in that time period.**

## STAY CONNECTED: City of Grove City

### E-NEWS

Sign up for Grove City's free e-newsletter, *From the Grove*, to receive information about community events, sports, class registration, road construction and more.

### FACEBOOK

[facebook.com/GroveCityOhio](http://facebook.com/GroveCityOhio)

### TWITTER

[twitter.com/GroveCityOhio](http://twitter.com/GroveCityOhio)

### INSTAGRAM

[instagram.com/GroveCityOhio](http://instagram.com/GroveCityOhio)

### WEBSITE

[GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)

# karate

# Adult

## Karate: Youth & Adult (Ages 8+)

Learn martial arts basics including punching, kicking and blocking techniques. Participants are evaluated at the beginning of the session for level placement.

### MONDAY BEGINNER

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Mon., 1/4; 6-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.01**

#### SESSION II

Day: Mon., 2/22; 6-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.01**

#### SESSION III

Day: Mon., 4/11; 6-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.01**

### TUESDAY BEGINNER

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Tue., 1/5; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.07**

#### SESSION II

Day: Tue., 2/23; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.07**

#### SESSION III

Day: Tue., 4/12; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.07**

### WEDNESDAY BEGINNER

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Wed., 1/6; 6-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.02**

#### SESSION II

Day: Wed., 2/24; 6-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.02**

#### SESSION III

Day: Wed., 4/13; 6-7 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.02**

### THURSDAY BEGINNER

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Thu., 1/7; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.08**

#### SESSION II

Day: Thu., 2/25; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.08**

#### SESSION III

Day: Thu., 4/14; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.08**

### MONDAY ADVANCED

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Mon., 1/4; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.03**

#### SESSION II

Day: Mon., 2/22; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.03**

#### SESSION III

Day: Mon., 4/11; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.03**

### TUESDAY ADVANCED

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Tue., 1/5; 5-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.05**

#### SESSION II

Day: Tue., 2/23; 5-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.05**

#### SESSION III

Day: Tue., 4/12; 5-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.05**

### WEDNESDAY ADVANCED

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Wed., 1/6; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.04**

#### SESSION II

Day: Wed., 2/24; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.04**

#### SESSION III

Day: Wed., 4/13; 7-8 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.04**

### THURSDAY ADVANCED

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$50 (NR \$55)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Thu., 1/7; 5-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 301251.06**

#### SESSION II

Day: Thu., 2/25; 5-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 302251.06**

#### SESSION III

Day: Thu., 4/14; 5-6 p.m.  
**Activity #: 404251.06**

### TWICE PER WEEK

**Kingston Center** **Wks: 6**  
**Fee: \$53 (NR \$58)**

#### SESSION I

Day: Mon.-Thu., 1/4; choose available  
**Activity #: 301251.09**

#### SESSION II

Day: Mon.-Thu., 2/22; choose available  
**Activity #: 302251.09**

#### SESSION III

Day: Mon.-Thu., 4/11; choose available  
**Activity #: 404251.09**

## Adopt-A-Street/Park Program

Join Keep Grove City Beautiful in ensuring Grove City stays clean, safe and beautiful.

Civic organizations, families, churches, school groups, and individuals have the opportunity to lend a hand in collecting litter from City streets and parks and planting flowers in public areas. Citizens of all ages can make a difference and enhance Grove City's quality of life.

In recognition of your efforts, signs are installed identifying the group as a contributor in their designated area.

Interested or have questions?

Contact Linda Rosine at 614-277-3058.



## Questions? We can help!

Call the Parks & Recreation Office at 614-277-3050, 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday - Friday

# Adult

# yoga



## Hatha Yoga

Learn to relax the body and calm the mind by achieving balance by freeing spiritual elements of the mind through physical poses. Wear loose, comfortable clothing, bring a towel or mat and come with an empty stomach.

### Yoga: Mondays

Melt away tension and stress by combining yoga postures with breathing techniques and deep relaxation.

Registered yoga instructor Toni Weeks leads. No class Mon., 1/18.

#### SESSION I

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Mon., 1/4; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$34 (NR \$39)

**Activity #: 301341.01**

#### SESSION II

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Mon., 2/29; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$34 (NR \$39)

**Activity #: 302341.02**

#### SESSION III

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Mon., 4/18; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$34 (NR \$39)

**Activity #: 404341.01**

### Yoga: Wednesdays

With a focus on the basics, beginners create deep relaxation through yoga postures and breathing techniques.

Registered yoga instructor Toni Weeks leads. No class Wed., 4/6, 6/1.

#### SESSION I

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 1/13; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$34 (NR \$39)

**Activity #: 301341.02**

#### SESSION II

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 3/2; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$34 (NR \$39)

**Activity #: 403341.02**

#### SESSION III

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 4/27; 6-7 p.m.  
Fee: \$34 (NR \$39)

**Activity #: 404341.02**

### Yoga: Saturdays

Beginners and experienced practitioners focus on breathing techniques, relaxation and the use of props. Bring yoga blocks and a strap (man's tie or elastic band). Instructed by Francia Wick, Yoga Alliance registered 500-hour instructor certified in yoga therapy. No class Sat., 3/19.

#### SESSION I

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Sat., 2/6; 9-10 a.m.  
Fee: \$31 (NR \$36)

**Activity #: 302341.03**

#### SESSION II

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Sat., 3/26; 9-10 a.m.  
Fee: \$31 (NR \$36)

**Activity #: 403341.03**

## Adult Team Sports

In addition to the wide variety of classes, Grove City offers a number of team sports options for adults including volleyball, softball and cornhole in competitive and recreational levels.

See page 13 for details and registration information.

## Inclement Weather Policy

### Weekdays (start times 4 p.m. & earlier)

- If SWCS cancels, all daytime programs are canceled including Evans Center Transportation Program.

### Weeknights (start times later than 4 p.m.)

- Activities in city facilities: Grove City Parks & Rec. decides status by 3 p.m.
- Activities at SWCS buildings (i.e. basketball practice): canceled.

### Saturdays

- Grove City Parks & Rec. decides status by 8 a.m.

### Sundays

- Grove City Parks & Rec. decides status by noon

**UPDATES:** 614-277-3060, [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov), [facebook.com/GroveCityOhio](https://facebook.com/GroveCityOhio), [twitter.com/GroveCityOhio](https://twitter.com/GroveCityOhio)



# fitness

# Adult

## TRX (Ages 16+)

Bored with your workout? Need different results? Try a total-body resistance (TRX) workout, designed by a Navy SEAL and used to rehab injuries and train athletes from newbie to pro. All fitness levels and ages burn maximum calories and get a total body workout. Bring a towel, water bottle and mat. Shelby Sampson, ACE certified personal trainer, instructs. No class Tue., 2/2, 3/1.

### TUESDAY

#### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Tue., 1/12; 5:45-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$25 (NR \$35)

**Activity #: 301341.04**

#### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Tue., 2/16; 5:45-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$25 (NR \$35)

**Activity #: 302341.06**

### THURSDAY

#### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Thu., 1/14; 5:45-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$25 (NR \$35)

**Activity #: 301341.06**

#### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Thu., 2/11; 5:45-6:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$25 (NR \$35)

**Activity #: 302341.07**

## TRX Flex & Flexibility

Build muscle, increase flexibility and tighten core creating a more powerful body and decreasing injury risk at the intensity you choose. Use the TRX body-suspension training program supplemented by traditional stretch and yoga floor moves. Bring a mat, towel and water bottle. Yoga and TRX certified fitness trainer Gina McDowell instructs.

### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Thu., 2/18; 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)

**Activity #: 302341.04**

### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Thu., 4/14; 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$45 (NR \$50)

**Activity #: 404341.04**

## Boot Camp

It's not just for soldiers anymore! Challenge yourself to improve your fitness level by building cardio capacity and core strength through exercises modifiable to personal fitness levels. Sweat, laugh and come back for more. Bring a towel, water bottle and mat. Shelby Sampson, ACE certified personal trainer, instructs. No class Tue., 2/2, 3/1.

### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Tue., 1/12; 6:30-7:15 p.m.  
Fee: \$25 (NR \$35)

**Activity #: 301344.01**

### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 4  
Day: Tue., 2/16; 6:30-7:15 p.m.  
Fee: \$25 (NR \$35)

**Activity #: 302344.01**

## LaBlast Fitness

LaBlast, created by champion dancer Louis van Amstel, balances fitness and dance to challenge and inspire all fitness levels in a fun, energetic class. Dances progress and techniques are refined so students gain creativity and a sense of accomplishment. No partner necessary. Certified instructor Chauntel Horaney leads. No class Mon., 2/15, 3/28.

### SESSION I

Kingston Center Wks: 5  
Day: Mon., 1/25; 6:45-7:45 p.m.  
Fee: \$33 (NR \$38)

**Activity #: 301343.01**

### SESSION II

Kingston Center Wks: 5  
Day: Mon., 3/14; 6:45-7:45 p.m.  
Fee: \$33 (NR \$38)

**Activity #: 403343.01**

## Registration

Online registration begins  
**Mon., 11/30**

Phone, fax and drop-in  
registration begins  
**Mon., 12/7**

## Did you know Grove City has its own museum?

The **Grove City Welcome Center & Museum**, 3378 Park St., is open Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesdays until 8 p.m. or by appointment.

Stop in or call  
614-277-3061  
for information.



# Adult

# cooking & games

## Progressive Euchre

Enjoy four-handed progressive euchre hosted by Evans Center staff. Bring \$1 to be distributed for prize money. Light snacks provided.

### SESSION I

Evans Center Multipurpose  
Day: Wed., 1/20; 6:30-10 p.m.  
Fee: \$5 (NR \$5)

**Activity #: 301363.01**

### SESSION II

Evans Center Multipurpose  
Day: Wed., 2/17; 6:30-10 p.m.  
Fee: \$5 (NR \$5)

**Activity #: 302363.01**

### SESSION III

Evans Center Multipurpose  
Day: Wed., 3/16; 6:30-10 p.m.  
Fee: \$5 (NR \$5)

**Activity #: 403363.01**

### SESSION IV

Evans Center Multipurpose  
Day: Wed., 4/20; 6:30-10 p.m.  
Fee: \$5 (NR \$5)

**Activity #: 404363.01**



## Chinese Cooking (Ages 15+)

Gary Shyu, owner and operator of China Bell Restaurant, teaches how to prepare several of his famous recipes. Sample as you learn.

### SESSION I: APPETIZERS

China Bell, 1947 Stringtown Rd.  
Day: Tue., 1/12; 7-8:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$25 (NR \$30)

**Activity #: 301379.01**

### SESSION II: CHICKEN DISHES

China Bell, 1947 Stringtown Rd.  
Day: Tue., 2/9; 7-8:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$25 (NR \$30)

**Activity #: 302379.04**

### SESSION III: BEEF DISHES

China Bell, 1947 Stringtown Rd.  
Day: Tue., 3/8; 7-8:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$25 (NR \$30)

**Activity #: 403379.01**

### SESSION II: MYSTERY DISHES

China Bell, 1947 Stringtown Rd.  
Day: Tue., 4/12; 7-8:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$25 (NR \$30)

**Activity #: 404379.05**

## Super Bowl Snacks

Take a tantalizing taste trip down the gridiron and jazz up game day by adding new snacks to your spread. Prepare some treats and take home recipes for more. Popular volunteer Luann Jackson instructs.

Gantz Farmhouse  
Day: Thu., 1/21; 7-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$15 (NR \$17)

**Activity #: 301378.04**

## STAY CONNECTED: City of Grove City E-NEWS

Sign up for Grove City's free e-newsletter, From the Grove, to receive information about community events, sports, class registration, road construction, service updates and more.

### FACEBOOK

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### TWITTER

[twitter.com/GroveCityOhio](https://twitter.com/GroveCityOhio)

### WEBSITE

[GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov)

## Don't Wait!

See a class or program that interests you? Sign up early. Activities require space and materials. They may be canceled if not enough people register in time.

# herbs & wellness

# Adult

## Health and Wellness 101

Since prehistoric times, man has sought comfort and relief by using herbs whose scents and other properties offer many benefits. The origin of modern pharmacology lies in experimentation with herbs to manipulate these benefits. Experience Gardens at Gantz herb garden classes to learn natural ways to look and feel better.

These classes are no substitute for professional medicinal advice. If you have a medical issue, please see a physician.

### Use Essential Oils to Refresh, Relax and Remember

Resolve to be a healthier you in the new year! Make essential oil inhalers and learn breathing techniques shown to reduce anxiety and increase memory. Lisa Feldman, Gardens at Gantz Farm volunteer, instructs.

Gantz Farmhouse Classroom  
Day: Thu., 1/7; 7-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$6 (NR \$7)

**Activity #: 301378.05**

### Skin Nourishment

Make lotion bars and sugar body polish while learning the benefits of organic products, the boosts herbs provide and the basics of different carrier oils. Linda Everts, Gardens at Gantz Farm volunteer, instructs.

Gantz Farmhouse Classroom  
Day: Wed., 4/20; 7-8:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$20 (NR \$22)

**Activity #: 404378.05**

### Look Younger, Feel Younger

Learn to prepare a variety of chemical-free face and body products including a chocolate scrub, a lemon cleanser and an anti-wrinkle lotion. Also take home a bottle of mosquito repellent. Jewell Lykins, Gardens at Gantz Farm volunteer, instructs.

Gantz Farmhouse Classroom  
Day: Wed., 4/27; 7-8:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$20 (NR \$22)

**Activity #: 404378.02**

## Herb Garden Oasis

Anyone can grow herbs! Add flavor to food, naturally scent your home or help get your family through the cold and flu season with these plants that grow well in garden beds and containers. Learn what herbs grow well in central Ohio and how to grow them. Garden volunteer Mary Jane LaLonde answers your questions and helps you plan for your needs.

Gantz Farmhouse Classroom  
Day: Sun., 4/17; 2-3 p.m.  
Fee: \$7 (NR \$8)

**Activity #: 404378.04**

## Spa Pillows (Ages 16+)

Choose the Japanese favorite of buckwheat hulls or a microwavable pillow of flax seed and lavender, and create a small pillow to pamper yourself through the dull, dreary winter days of Ohio.

Gantz Farmhouse Classroom  
Day: Tue., 1/12; 7-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$15 (NR \$17)

**Activity #: 301378.01**

## Earth-friendly Products

Eliminate 90% of the cleaning chemicals under your sink and rid your house of fumes from commercial cleaning products. Use borax, baking soda and vinegar, along with herbs and essential oils, to make earth-friendly, highly effective cleaning products to take home along with recipes for more.

Gantz Farmhouse Classroom  
Day: Tue., 2/9; 7-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$15 (NR \$17)

**Activity #: 302378.05**

## Breast Health

Breast cancer is the most common cancer among women worldwide and the second-most common cancer overall. In 2015, an estimated 231,840 cases of invasive breast cancer will be diagnosed in the U.S. alone. It is important to understand breast cancer, your risk and what is normal for you. Get screened, keep healthy life styles. Presented by LifeCare Alliance's Barbara A. Parker, B.S.N., R.N., through a Komen Foundation Grant.

Evans Center Classroom  
Day: Mon., 2/8; 6-7:30 p.m.  
Free; Registration Required

**Activity #: 302361.02**



# 55+

# daily activities

The Evans Center, located in Windsor Park, is available to all persons who are 55 and older. Residents and non-residents benefit from the many services and activities.

Annual dues are \$5 per resident and \$10 per non-resident. See page 47 for a registration form.

**Regular Center hours are Monday through Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m., until 7 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays.**

Online registration must be completed on your own. If you cannot, please attend the early bird registration on Fri., 12/4 or ask for assistance when online-only registration is not underway.

## Registration

Online registration begins **Mon., 11/30**

55+ Early bird registration & breakfast  
(Evans Center walk-in registration only)

**Fri., 12/4; 9 a.m.**

Phone and office registration begins **Mon., 12/7**

### Early Bird Program Registration & Continental Breakfast

Online registration for mid-December through April begins Mon., 11/30. Traditional early bird registration begins at **9 a.m. on Fri., 12/4** at the Evans Center with a continental breakfast served at 8 a.m. Be prepared to pay all fees for programs you are signing up for. Waiting lists are kept as registered participants may cancel or classes may be added. For online registration, participants must pre-register at the Evans Center or by calling 614-277-1060 at least one day prior to registering to receive a household ID number.

### Fitness Room | Mon.-Fri., 8 a.m.-4 p.m.; until 7 p.m. Mon. & Wed.

Use this great resource to stay fit by accessing ellipticals, treadmills, NuStep, recumbent and upright bikes, hydraulic weight machines and free weights. Fee: \$15 per month for Evans Center members; enrollment required.

### Bead Class - Drop in | Mon., 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Join Linda Miller to make unique beaded decorations including fun holiday themes and build friendships. Choose your own projects, and pay the instructor for materials. Pack a lunch or order one by calling 614-278-3153 the Friday before class.

### Chair Volleyball | Mon., 1 p.m. & Thu., 10:30 a.m.

Played with a beach ball while seated, this game is enjoyable for anyone. No need to be athletic, but be ready to laugh and work on upper-body mobility. Newcomers welcome. Occasional home or away matches played against other centers (travel by minibus). Barb Holbrook coaches.

### Humdinger Rhythm Band | Mon., 2-3 p.m.

The Humdinger Rhythm Band includes a multitude of rhythm instruments and performs at the Center and in the community.

### Foot Care Clinics | 2nd & 3rd Tue., By Appointment

LifeCare Alliance nurses trim toenails and check feet for circulation and potential problems. To sign up, call LifeCare Alliance at 614-437-2927 for appointment times. Some paperwork must be completed before your first visit.

Fee: First visit is \$35; subsequent visits are \$25 (fees payable to LifeCare Alliance); \$10 for missed appointments.

### S.A.L.T. | 2nd Tue., 1 p.m.

During S.A.L.T. (Seniors and Law Enforcement Together) meetings, representatives from Grove City Police and Jackson Township Fire share information about community services and crime and safety issues important to seniors. For information contact Crime Prevention Coordinator Tom Durflinger at 614-277-1765.

# daily activities

# 55+

## Alzheimer's Support Group | 4th Tue., 7 p.m.

The everyday challenges faced by those dealing with Alzheimer's and related diseases can be overwhelming. Caregivers get a sense of belonging by interacting with those facing similar challenges. Under the guidance of Paula Taliaferro.

## Wii Bowling – For Exercise & Fun | Tue., Wed. & Thu.

If you don't care about the competition and just want to have fun, then sign up to Wii bowl on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday mornings. Register at the front desk.

## Club Meetings | 1st & 3rd Wed., 1 p.m.

Gather with other members for fellowship. A short business meeting or entertainment is followed by card games and bingo. This is a great way to meet other members.

## Ceramics Class - Drop in | Wed., 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Join Nancy Ritter in the Evans Center Classroom for camaraderie and fine arts. Bring your greenware projects; paint and brushes are provided. Bring \$7 to each class to cover supplies. Pack a lunch or call 614-278-3153 the previous day to order one.

## Blood Pressure Checks and Medicine Q&A | 1st or 3rd Wed.

**Heartland Home Health Care and Hospice** performs blood pressure screenings and is available for medication Q&A monthly. No appointment is necessary – just drop in. 1st Wed.; 11 a.m.–1 p.m.; No fee

**Amity Home Healthcare** sends a nurse to check blood pressure and blood sugar. No appointment is necessary – just drop in. 3rd Wed.; 11 a.m.–1 p.m.; No fee

## Rock 'N' Roll Angels - Drop in | Fri., 1 p.m.

Join this group for fun and exercise: be active performing easy dance routines. New members are welcome. Carol Armbrust instructs. Call 614-871-0063 for more information.

## Vocal Chorus | Fri., 9 a.m.

New singers always are welcome to join this group of music lovers without auditioning. Call 614-277-1060 to confirm. Carol Barnick directs.

## Daily Activities at the Evans Center

### LUNCH

11:45 a.m. Weekdays

### MONDAY

9:30 a.m. Chair Movements

10 a.m. Bead Class

10:30 a.m. Senior Exercise

12:30 p.m. Bridge

1 p.m. Chair Volleyball

2 p.m. Humdinger Practice

### TUESDAY

9:30 a.m. Wii Bowling

10 a.m. Line Dance

11:45 a.m. Yoga

1 p.m. S.A.L.T. Meeting  
(2<sup>nd</sup> Tue.)

7 p.m. Alzheimer Support  
(4<sup>th</sup> Tue.)

### WEDNESDAY

9 a.m. Ceramics

9:30 a.m. Chair Movements

10:30 a.m. Senior Exercise

Farmers Market  
(3<sup>rd</sup> Wed.)

1 p.m. Senior Meeting  
(1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed.)

Book Club (2<sup>nd</sup> Wed.)

Cards & Bingo  
(2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Wed.)

Bingo Bonanza

### THURSDAY

9 a.m. Yoga

Rummikub

10:30 a.m. Chair Volleyball

12:30 p.m. Chicken Foot

Progressive 500

### FRIDAY

9 a.m. Chorus

10 a.m. Open Paint Class

10:30 a.m. Friday Fitness

12:15 p.m. Friday Flicks (1<sup>st</sup> Fri.)

12:30 p.m. Tripoley

Bridge

1 p.m. Canasta

Rock 'N' Roll Angels

# 55+

# services

## Help Line

The Evans Center cares about older adults and their families. The help line coordinator can assist those in need by referring them to different area agencies. Available services include home-delivered meals, housekeeping, transportation, emergency-response systems and more.

Information: 614-277-1060

## Senior Options

Senior Options provides in-home services to maintain independence for Franklin County residents aged 60+ not qualified for PASSPORT services. Payment is based on a sliding income scale. COAAA provides in-home assessments and case management for the program. Available services include: personal care, home-delivered meals and emergency-response systems.

Information: 614-525-6200

## Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program

The Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program (OSHIIP) provides free information and other health insurance services for Ohioans covered by Medicare.

Schedule an appointment:  
614-277-1060

## Lunch Program | Mon.-Fri., 11:45 a.m.

Enjoy a nutritious, hot lunch five days a week at the Evans Center. The daily menu is listed in the local newspapers and posted at the Center. Call 614-278-3152 one day in advance to make a reservation. Van transportation is available and must be requested. Prepackaged cold, vegetarian and hot served meals are available. Meals-on-Wheels provides meals for the home-bound. Call 614-277-1060 for more information.

## Transportation

Transportation services are provided to Grove City/Jackson Township residents for Grove City-area destinations. Members can receive transportation to grocery stores, banks or medical appointments. The buses provide non-driving members with transportation to and from Center activities. Two buses are equipped with wheelchair lifts, but **all participants must be able to board the bus without assistance from the driver. Schedule an appointment at least three days in advance** including for Evans Center outings by calling 614-277-1066 from 9 a.m. to noon, Monday through Friday. Please be patient! We keep our buses busy. **Transportation is canceled when SWCS are closed for inclement weather.**

## Meals-on-Wheels: Volunteer to Help a Needy Neighbor

Share your time and visit the home-bound to deliver a hot meal and a message of loving concern from the community: volunteer for a Meals-on-Wheels route picked up daily at the Evans Center. Each 90-minute route visits 12 to 15 elderly or disabled persons. Training is provided. Weekend opportunities are also available. If you can help at least once per month or want more information, call LifeCare Alliance Volunteer Services at 614-437-2859.

## Senior Call

Trained volunteers make daily phone calls to check on the well-being of seniors who are home-bound, alone or just eager to hear a friendly voice. Senior Call is one of the few area programs to individually assign volunteers to seniors and is sponsored by the Evans Center, Jackson Township Fire Department and the Grove City Division of Police. Call 614-277-1060 for details or to be sent an enrollment form.

## Volunteer Program

The Center owes much of its success to the dedicated patrons who contribute their time and talents. The volunteer program provides many meaningful service opportunities. Share your special talent, craft or game with others. Call 614-277-1060 for more information. Ask about the rewards offered to Senior Partners.

## Computer Lab

The Evans Center is fully equipped with desktop computers to meet your technology needs. Services are free and open to Center members. You must sign up for a user ID and password at the front desk. Ask at the front desk about occasional free classes.

## Did You Know?

The Evans Center is open late until 7 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays, including access to the exercise room and computer lab.



# parties & movies

# 55+



## Friday Flicks

Enjoy a variety of films on the big projector screen with friends and plenty of popcorn. Bring your own folding chair if it is more comfortable.

### SESSION I: PAUL BLART: MALL COP 2

(2015; PG) After six years of keeping our malls safe, Paul Blart takes a well-deserved vacation to Las Vegas with his daughter before she starts college. But safety never takes a holiday and when duty calls, Blart answers.

Evans Center Auditorium  
Day: Fri., 1/8; 12:15-3 p.m.

**Activity #: 301462.01**

### SESSION II: LITTLE BOY

(2015; PG-13) An 8-year-old boy will do whatever it takes to end World War II and bring his father home in a story that highlights themes of faith, hope and love in the face of adversity revealed in the indescribable love between fathers and sons.

Evans Center Auditorium  
Day: Fri., 2/5; 12:15-2:30 p.m.

**Activity #: 302462.01**

Come early for February's Friday Flick, "Little Boy," to enjoy yummy and traditional snacks prepared by Tina Mrukowski of Comfort Keepers. Sample treats from 11:45 a.m. until showtime and take home the recipes.

### SESSION III: THE LONGEST RIDE

(2015; PG-13) A star-crossed love affair sparks between a bull rider seeking a comeback and a college student set to embark upon her dream job in New York City. As conflicting paths and ideals test their relationship, they make a fateful connection with a man whose memories of romance with his beloved wife inspire them.

Evans Center Auditorium  
Day: Fri., 3/4; 12:15-2:30 p.m.

**Activity #: 403462.02**

### SESSION IV: BLACK OR WHITE

(2015; PG-13) A grandfather suddenly left to care for his beloved granddaughter finds himself in a custody battle with the girl's paternal grandmother leaving the little girl torn between two families who love her deeply. Both families are forced to confront their true feelings about race, forgiveness and understanding.

Evans Center Auditorium  
Day: Fri., 4/1; 12:15-2:30 p.m.

**Activity #: 404462.03**

The Evans Center is closed the following dates:

- Thu., 12/24
- Fri., 12/25
- Fri., 1/1
- Mon., 1/18
- Mon., 2/15

The transportation program does not operate days the Center is closed or when SWCS is canceled due to inclement weather.

## New Year's Eve Party

Welcome in 2016 with a "Time To Remember." Dress in your finery and rock in the New Year.

Evans Center Auditorium  
Day: Thu., 12/31; 11:30 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Fee: \$15 payable to Grove City Area

Seniors at the Party  
**Activity #: 312464.12**

## Winter Ball

Dress up for a lovely evening that includes dinner, photo station, music, dancing and so much more.

Evans Center Auditorium  
Day: Fri., 1/29; 6-9 p.m.  
Fee: \$15

**Activity #: 301464.04**

## That's Amore Italian

The "Boss," Don Salvatore Ghetti, requests your presence to honor his birthday and will not take no for an answer. Plan to feast on an Italian meal that is delicious! Of course, there is also entertainment, and as the Don says, "You will have fun!"

Evans Center Auditorium  
Day: Fri., 3/25; 6-9 p.m.  
Fee: \$15

**Activity #: 403464.01**



Free/Registration Required

## 55+

## yoga &amp; sports



### Tai Chi: Continuing

Fall-related injuries can have serious consequences for people over age 50. Reduce your risk for falling through muscle-strengthening and balance-improvement activities.

#### SESSION I

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 1/6; 2-3 p.m.  
Fee: \$22

**Activity #: 301461.11**

#### SESSION II

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 2/17; 2-3 p.m.  
Fee: \$22

**Activity #: 302461.02**

#### SESSION III

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Wed., 4/6; 2-3 p.m.  
Fee: \$22

**Activity #: 403461.03**

### Yoga for Seniors

Reap the benefits of yoga in classes designed for seniors. Learn breathing techniques and deep relaxation to melt away tension and stress while coaxing your mind and body to health. Wear comfortable, loose clothing and bring a mat or towel to sit on. If unable to lie on the floor, use a chair. Toni Weeks instructs.

#### Yoga for Seniors: Tuesdays

No class Tue., 4/5, 5/31.

##### SESSION I

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Tue., 1/5; 11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.  
Fee: \$22

**Activity #: 301441.01**

##### SESSION II

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Tue., 2/23; 11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.  
Fee: \$22

**Activity #: 302441.01**

##### SESSION III

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Tue., 4/12; 11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.  
Fee: \$22

**Activity #: 404441.01**

#### Yoga for Seniors: Thursdays

No class Thu., 4/7.

##### SESSION I

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Thu., 1/7; 9-10 a.m.  
Fee: \$22

**Activity #: 301441.02**

##### SESSION II

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Thu., 2/25; 9-10 a.m.  
Fee: \$22

**Activity #: 302441.02**

##### SESSION III

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Thu., 4/14; 9-10 a.m.  
Fee: \$22

**Activity #: 404441.02**

### Wii Bowling League



Up to 15 teams of four compete Tuesdays through Thursdays in a Wii Bowling League with handicapped scoring. Standings are kept. League play ends with an awards luncheon. Barb and Bill Morris lead.

Evans Center Rec. Room Wks: 13  
Day: Tue., Wed., Thu., 1/21;  
2:30-4:30 p.m.

**Register at the front desk using**

**Activity #: 301464.14**

### Senior Bowling League

For fun and great exercise, head to Stardust Lanes, 2434 Old Stringtown Road. Choose open bowl or bowl in a league - newcomers welcome.

**Register with Stardust Lanes,  
614-875-4343**

## STAY CONNECTED: City of Grove City

#### E-NEWS

Sign up for Grove City's free e-newsletter, *From the Grove*, to receive information about community events, sports, class registration, road construction and more.

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#### WEBSITE

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# dance & fitness

# 55+

## Chair Movements

Fight arthritis and joint pain with exercises designed for seniors who find it difficult to work out while standing or have trouble getting up and down for floor exercises. Bring light one- or two-pound weights. No class Mon., 1/18, 2/15; Wed., 3/30.

### SESSION I

Evans Auditorium Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 1/4; 9:30-10:15 a.m.  
Fee: \$15

**Activity #: 301442.01**

### SESSION II

Evans Auditorium Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 2/1; 9:30-10:15 a.m.  
Fee: \$15

**Activity #: 302442.01**

### SESSION III

Evans Auditorium Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 3/2; 9:30-10:15 a.m.  
Fee: \$15

**Activity #: 403442.01**

### SESSION IV

Evans Auditorium Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 4/4; 9:30-10:15 a.m.  
Fee: \$15

**Activity #: 404442.01**

## Friday Morning Fitness

Learn exercise and self-defense techniques designed with seniors in mind including defense using basic awareness and a cane or walker. Moves are low impact, appropriate for all ages and fitness levels and can be done while standing or seated. Dave Holloway instructs.

### SESSION I

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 4  
Day: Fri., 1/8; 10:30-11:30 a.m.  
Fee: \$8

**Activity #: 301443.03**

### SESSION II

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 4  
Day: Fri., 2/5; 10:30-11:30 a.m.  
Fee: \$8

**Activity #: 302443.02**

## Senior Exercise

Keep those joints and muscles moving with exercises designed for active seniors who can move around on their own and are able to do floor exercises. Bring an exercise mat and weights (optional) of three pounds or lighter. No class Mon., 1/18, 2/15; Wed., 3/30.

### SESSION I

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 1/4; 10:30-11:30 a.m.  
Fee: \$15

**Activity #: 301443.01**

### SESSION II

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 2/1; 10:30-11:30 a.m.  
Fee: \$15

**Activity #: 302443.01**

### SESSION III

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 3/2; 10:30-11:30 a.m.  
Fee: \$15

**Activity #: 403443.01**

### SESSION IV

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 4  
Day: Mon., Wed., 4/4; 10:30-11:30 a.m.  
Fee: \$15

**Activity #: 404443.01**

## Fall Prevention



Join the discussion on how to prevent falls led by a licensed physical therapist. Sponsored by Amity HomeCare and Monterey Care Center. Light refreshments served.

Evans Center Classroom  
Day: Fri., 1/15; 1-2 p.m.

**Activity #: 301461.14**

## Line Dance: Intermediate

Learn more than typical country-western routines, including the fundamentals of cha cha, waltz, rumba, swing and many other dance styles. Experience great physical and mental exercise as each routine is explained step-by-step while music is played.

### SESSION I

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Tue., 1/5; 10-11:30 a.m.  
Fee: \$23

**Activity #: 301423.01**

### SESSION II

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Tue., 2/16; 10-11:30 a.m.  
Fee: \$23

**Activity #: 302423.01**

### SESSION III

Evans Center Auditorium Wks: 6  
Day: Tue., 3/29; 10-11:30 a.m.  
Fee: \$23

**Activity #: 403423.01**



Free/Registration Required



## 55+

## arts &amp; crafts

**Pamper Yourself**

Fight the winter doldrums: treat yourself to a facial, manicure/hand treatment, glamour and more as representatives from Mary Kay Cosmetics spoil you rotten and introduce their botanical products with no obligation.

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Tue., 2/2; 1-3 p.m.

**Activity #: 302464.11**

**Fat Quarters Annual Quilting Retreat**

Join members of the Fat Quarters Quilt Guild for an uninterrupted day of sewing at their annual quilting retreat. Work on a sofa-size mystery quilt, a charity sewing project or bring your own unfinished projects.

Fee includes patterns, demonstrations, ample sewing space, unlimited support and a hot lunch, on-the-go supper and snacks.

Evans Center

Day: Sat., 1/23; 8 a.m.-8 p.m.

Fee: \$25 payable to Fat Quarters Quilt Guild by Wed., 1/13

**To register, call Michele Demmy at 614-875-3470.**

**Beading Workshops with Bev & Nancy**

Learn to create pierced earrings in a make-and-take workshop, then have great fun on your own making original jewelry to match your outfits. Materials provided for three pairs of earrings.

**SESSION I: EARRINGS**

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Mon., 1/25; 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$8

**Activity #: 301461.09**

**SESSION II: EARRINGS**

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Mon., 1/25; 3-4:30 p.m.

Fee: \$8

**Activity #: 301461.08**

**SESSION III: LINE NECKLACE**

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Mon., 2/29; 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$15

**Activity #: 302461.03**

**SESSION IV: LINE NECKLACE**

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Mon., 3/28; 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$15

**Activity #: 302461.07**

**Floral Fun**

Danette Krugel, owner of Danette's Floral Boutique, demonstrates how to create a floral arrangement, a gourmet basket and a planter to include fresh cut flowers, sharing ideas she uses in her own shop. Three lucky attendees take home an arrangement made during class.

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Thu., 2/25; 1-2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 302461.05**

**Need transportation to the Evans Center or to an off-site location for a Parks & Rec. program?**

**Call 614-277-1066 from 9 a.m. to noon, Monday through Friday to schedule a ride on one of our buses. Fee applies.**



**Free/Registration Required**

# arts, crafts & cooking

# 55+

## Cooking Demo by Chef Tim



Attend a cooking demonstration sponsored by Monterey Care Center featuring their own Chef Tim (winner of the 2015 Taste of Grove City) and his entertaining and informative display on preparing quick, crowd-pleasing appetizers. Samples served.

Evans Center Kitchen

Day: Fri., 4/22; 2-3:30 p.m.

**Activity #: 404479.05**

## Greeting Cards

Handmade greeting cards are economical and appreciated. Learn new card creation techniques featuring “Close to my Heart” products and make three cards each session. Papers stamps and inks supplied. Bring a “bone folder” scrapbooking tool, scissors and tape runner. Instructed by Melissa Corbin Ball.

### SESSION I: BIRTHDAYS

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Thu., 1/7; 10-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$8

**Activity #: 301473.01**

### SESSION II: VALENTINES

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Thu., 2/4; 10-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$8

**Activity #: 302473.01**

### SESSION III: EASTER

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Thu., 3/3; 10-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$8

**Activity #: 403473.01**

### SESSION IV: SPRING

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Thu., 4/7; 10-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$8

**Activity #: 404473.01**

## Smoothie Workshop

Join the smoothie craze! Easy to make, they are great for incorporating more fruits and vegetables in your diet. Focus on blending three basic yet unique smoothies while discussing their nutritional benefits. Includes taste tests and take-home recipes.

### SESSION I

Evans Center Kitchen

Day: Fri., 1/22; 1-2 p.m.

Fee: \$2

**Activity #: 301479.05**

### SESSION II

Evans Center Kitchen

Day: Fri., 2/26; 1-2 p.m.

Fee: \$2

**Activity #: 302479.03**

### SESSION III

Evans Center Kitchen

Day: Fri., 3/11; 1-2 p.m.

Fee: \$2

**Activity #: 403479.05**

## Scarf Tying Workshop

Scarves are versatile and affordable fashion accessories, but can be a challenge to tie attractively. Explore a fun and inexpensive way to liven up your wardrobe. Bring an oblong or square scarf. Africa Thomas of Wesley Glen sponsors. Refreshments provided.

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Fri., 4/15; 1-2 p.m.

Fee: \$2

**Activity #: 404461.03**

## Inclement Weather Policy

### Weekdays (start times 4 p.m. & earlier)

- If SWCS cancels, all daytime programs are canceled including Evans Center Transportation Program.

### Weeknights (start times later than 4 p.m.)

- Activities in city facilities: Grove City Parks & Rec. decides status by 3 p.m.
- Activities at SWCS buildings (i.e. basketball practice): canceled.

### Saturdays

- Grove City Parks & Rec. decides status by 8 a.m.

### Sundays

- Grove City Parks & Rec. decides status by noon

**UPDATES: 614-277-3060, [GroveCityOhio.gov](http://GroveCityOhio.gov), [facebook.com/GroveCityOhio](https://facebook.com/GroveCityOhio), [twitter.com/GroveCityOhio](https://twitter.com/GroveCityOhio)**

## 55+

## enrichment

**Adopt-A-Street/Park Program**

Join Keep Grove City Beautiful in ensuring Grove City stays clean, safe and beautiful.

Civic organizations, families, churches, school groups, and individuals have the opportunity to lend a hand in collecting litter from City streets and parks and planting flowers in public areas. Citizens of all ages can make a difference and enhance Grove City's quality of life.

In recognition of your efforts, signs are installed identifying the group as a contributor in their designated area.

Interested or have questions?

Contact Linda Rosine at 614-277-3058.

**Southwest Franklin County Historical Society**

The Southwest Franklin County Historical Society (SWFCHS) is dedicated to preserving and educating younger generations on the history of Franklin, Jackson, Pleasant and Prairie townships. They work with the City of Grove City and other community groups on events and in the development of the Century Village complex, re-creating a mid-19th century experience.

**SWFCHS Meetings**

**St. John's Lutheran Church,**  
3220 Columbus Street

**1st Tuesday of Each Month**

**Steve Jackson • 614-871-0081**

**Meet the Author: Eva Dimel**

Long-time Grove City resident and inspirational author Eva Dimel shares updates on her writing path. She offers merchandise like coffee cups, plaques and other products including her new calendar and "Letters from Heaven" throw. Dessert provided.

Evans Center Rec. Room

Day: Fri., 2/19; 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$3

**Activity #: 302461.13**

**Armchair Programs**

**Tammy Justice of National Church Residences and Meadow View Village in Mt. Sterling shares information on interesting topics from American history. Treats provided.**

**Wild & Wacky**

There is a reason behind every wild law and a story to every wacky holiday. Learn the background behind unusual American history.

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Thu., 1/7; 1-2 p.m.

**Activity #: 301461.12**

**Up, Up & Away**

Discover the fascinating, uplifting and sometimes tragic history of hot air ballooning.

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Thu., 3/17; 1-2 p.m.

**Activity #: 403461.05**

**Gone with the Wind**

Acquire knowledge about how this classic movie was made followed up by a screening of the 1939 epic.

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Thu., 2/11; 1-2 p.m.

**Activity #: 302461.09**

**Cincinnati**

Pick up facts about the Queen City, America's first major inland city, home to many other firsts.

Evans Center Classroom

Day: Thu., 4/7; 1-2 p.m.

**Activity #: 404461.07**

**Don't Miss Anything!**

**Remember to check out all the great adult programs! See pages 26-33 in the Adult section for detailed descriptions of upcoming opportunities.**



**Free/Registration Required**

# games

# 55+

## Bingo at Brookdale

Bingo fans unite and head to Brookdale Pinnacle for an afternoon of bingo, refreshments, prizes and fun!

Departs Evans Center

Day: Tue., 3/1; 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 403464.06**

## Bingo at Monterey

Chef Tim and Lisa Graves of Monterey Care Center have a great afternoon planned complete with refreshments and bingo play for prizes.

Departs Evans Center

Day: Fri., 3/18; 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 403464.09**

## Euchre Tournament & Lunch

Grab your lucky charm, join the group and head to the Dublin Retirement Village for a delicious lunch and a euchre tournament with prizes for the top three places.

Departs Evans Center

Day: Thu., 1/14; 11:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 301463.01**

## Bingo Bash Is Back!

Hop on the minibus and hit the road with center friends for bingo and lunch with all the trimmings at Dublin Retirement Village at the invitation of Chris Welen.

Departs Evans Center

Day: Thu., 4/14; 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 404464.02**

## Spring Card Party

Enjoy four-handed euchre with snacks and dessert. Bring \$1 for distribution to high score, most loners and low score. Cards start promptly at 1 p.m. Evans Center staff hosts.

Evans Center Multipurpose

Day: Fri., 4/8; 1-4 p.m.

Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 404463.01**

## Mardi Gras Hop

Celebrate Fat Tuesday on a festive trip including breakfast, entertainment, bingo and prizes. Sponsored by Carriage Court, Columbus West Park and Monterey Care Facility.

Departs Evans Center

Day: Tue., 2/9; 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 302461.01**

## Valentines Bunko

Join staff members in a progressive dice game that allows for visiting during play. Bring \$1 for prizes for high score, low score and most Bunkos rolled.

Evans Center Rec. Room

Day: Fri., 2/12; 1-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 302464.05**

**Enjoy cards and other games? Stop in for one or more of the weekly pick-up opportunities.**

### MONDAY

12:30 p.m. Bridge

### WEDNESDAY

1 p.m. Cards & Bingo  
(2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Wed.)

### THURSDAY

9 a.m. Rummikub

12:30 p.m. Chicken Foot  
Progressive 500

### FRIDAY

12:30 p.m. Tripoley  
Bridge

1 p.m. Canasta

## Did You Know?

The Evans Center is now open late until 7 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays, including access to the exercise room and computer lab.



## 55+

## dining &amp; shopping

**Minibus Shopping & Lunch**

Enjoy the luxury of door-to-door service to area shopping malls. It's a great way to shop, grab lunch or people watch without the parking hassles. Drop off and pickup are at the same mall entrance.

**SESSION I: TUTTLE CROSSING & P.F. CHANG'S**

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Mon., 1/4; 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 301464.05****SESSION II: POLARIS & BRIO**

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Mon., 2/1; 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 302464.04****SESSION III: RIVER VALLEY MALL & RED LOBSTER**

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Mon., 3/7; 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 403464.05****SESSION IV: TANGER OUTLET & WERNER'S SMOKEHOUSE**

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Mon., 4/4; 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m.  
Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 404464.03****Firehouse Tour with Lunch**

Enjoy an educational tour of local firehouses and view what firefighters do there: how they spend their days, what they cook and what happens during a true emergency. Learn measures to take to avoid the need to call them. Tour includes the new state-of-the-art firehouse on Buckeye Parkway. Top off the day with lunch cooked by your hometown heroes.

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Thu., 3/10; 10 a.m.-1 p.m.  
Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 403461.04****Supper Club**

Don't eat alone! Join our gourmet diners and head to different restaurants for a variety of dining experiences (on your own) including door-to-door transportation via minibus.

**SESSION I: SPAGHETTI WAREHOUSE**

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Mon., 1/11; 4-7:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 301479.03****SESSION II: MILLER'S ALE HOUSE**

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Mon., 2/8; 4-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 302479.07****SESSION III: CARRABBA'S**

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Mon., 4/11; 4-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 404479.03****SESSION IV: DER DUTCHMAN**

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Mon., 3/14; 4-8 p.m.  
Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 403479.03****Lunch Bunch**

Enjoy no-hassle transportation right to the restaurant door as you benefit from the companionship of new and old friends while dining at central Ohio eateries for lunch (on your own).

**SESSION I: CAP CITY DINER**

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Thu., 1/28; 11 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 301479.02****SESSION II: ABNER'S DINER**

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Thu., 2/25; 11 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 302479.05****SESSION III: MONGOLIAN BBQ**

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Thu., 3/31; 11 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 403479.01****SESSION IV: WINDWARD PASSAGE**

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Thu., 4/21; 11 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 404479.01****Vera Bradley Outlet Tour**

Vera Bradley fans, don't miss a shopping extravaganza at the Fort Wayne outlet store with more than 300 yards of merchandise discounted 40-60 percent to explore. Take advantage of a special motor coach entrance, seating and checkout area to avoid long lines. Enjoy activities on the bus and stop for lunch and dinner (on your own). Final payment due: Wed., 1/20.

Departs Evans Center  
Day: Wed., 4/13; 9:30 a.m.-10 p.m.  
Fee: \$77 (Checks payable to Tours 'n' Tours)

**Activity #: 404464.13**

# entertainment & casinos

# 55+

## Showtime at Der Dutchman

Travel via minibus to Plain City for top-line entertainment with a delicious family-style lunch (gratuity included) plus a 20% discount to the Carlisle Gift Shop.

### THE LEGACY OF FLOYD CRAMER

Floyd Cramer's unique touch at the piano lives on through the music of his grandson, Jason Coleman. At age 5, Jason set out in his grandfather's footsteps, performing with him at concerts and on national television until Floyd passed in 1997. At 17 Jason debuted at the Grand Ole Opry and never looked back. Includes family-style lunch with dessert, beverage and gratuity, plus a 20% discount coupon for the Carlisle Gift Shop.

Departs Evans Center

Day: Tue., 4/26; 10:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Fee: \$51

**Activity #: 404464.06**

## Standing Room Only Theatre: Big River

This classic musical brings to the stage Mark Twain's story of an abused child and an escaped slave traveling down the mighty Mississippi River in the 1840s seeking freedom at the Columbus Performing Arts Center. Lunch in German Village (on your own) after the show. \$13 for performance ticket due day of the show.

Departs Evans Center

Day: Fri., 5/6; 9:15 a.m.-3 p.m.

Fee: \$7 (\$13 cash due day of show)

**Activity #: 405464.17**

## Scioto Downs Racino

Enjoy gaming fun with friends from the Evans Center: hop on the minibus for at-the-door drop off. Includes \$20 worth of free play, half-price buffet for seniors and \$5 off food coupon (cannot use toward buffet).

### SESSION I

Departs Evans Center

Day: Wed., 1/13; 10:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 301464.09**

### SESSION II

Departs Evans Center

Day: Wed., 2/10; 10:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 302464.19**

### SESSION III

Departs Evans Center

Day: Wed., 3/23; 10:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 403464.03**

### SESSION IV

Departs Evans Center

Day: Wed., 4/27; 10:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5

**Activity #: 404464.12**

## LaComedia Dinner Theatre

Travel via minibus to Springboro for a delicious buffet meal and premium seating for a "Taste of Broadway."

### LOVE, SEX & THE I.R.S.

This comedy will tax your funny bone! Jon and Leslie, two guys trying to make it in New York City, hash an ill-conceived plan to save money using Leslie's androgynous first name to file their taxes as a married couple. Hilarity ensues when the I.R.S. investigates.

Departs Evans Center

Day: Thu., 2/4; 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Fee: \$50

**Activity #: 302464.08**

### FIDDLER ON THE ROOF

The father of five daughters attempts to maintain his Jewish traditions as outside influences encroach upon the family's lives in turn-of-the-century Russia in a timeless classic with its celebrated score that has touched audiences for over 50 years.

Departs Evans Center

Day: Thu., 4/7; 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Fee: \$50

**Activity #: 404464.10**

### GREASE

The senior class of Rydell High returns by popular demand with the Broadway smash-hit version of the classic movie featuring a nostalgic, heart-pumping look back at the rock 'n' roll era of the 1950s.

Departs Evans Center

Day: Thu., 6/9; 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Fee: \$50

**Activity #: 106462.01**

# 55+

# 2016 Evans Center Membership

LAST NAME		FIRST NAME	
ADDRESS			
CITY		STATE	ZIP
DAYTIME PHONE		HOME PHONE	
CELL PHONE		EMERGENCY PHONE	
EMAIL ADDRESS			
DATE OF BIRTH		MEMBER NUMBER	
MEMBER SIGNATURE			DATE

## IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME		RELATIONSHIP (E.G. WIFE)
CONTACT PHONE	ALTERNATE CONTACT PHONE	
DOCTOR	HOSPITAL	

## MEMBERSHIP FEES & PAYMENT

MEMBERSHIP TYPE	AMOUNT
<input type="checkbox"/> Resident of City of Grove City or Jackson Township	\$5
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-resident (outside of Jackson Township)	\$10

PAYMENT TYPE	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cash or money order	<input type="checkbox"/> Check made payable to Grove City Area Seniors      Check # _____

**Please return the completed form with payment to:**  
**Grove City Area Senior Citizens**

The City of Grove City reserves the right to photograph or record program and event participants for publicity purposes. These images may be used in future catalogs, brochures, pamphlets, advertisements or electronic public relations pieces such as the Grove City website.



# Parks & Recreation Registration Form

PARTICIPANT'S NAME		DATE OF BIRTH	
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP
DAYTIME PHONE	HOME PHONE	EMAIL ADDRESS	
SPECIAL NEEDS OR OTHER NOTES			

## Please select method of payment

- ☐ Cash or money order
- ☐ Check made payable to City of Grove City

### ☐ Credit Card

☐ MasterCard

☐ Visa

ACCOUNT NUMBER

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TOTAL			\$

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☐ MasterCard

☐ Visa

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# Registration

## Online Registration:

**Mon., 11/30**

## Early Bird 55+ Registration:

9 a.m.- noon, **Fri., 12/4**  
at the Evans Center  
(walk-in registration only)

## Phone/Walk-in Registration:

8 a.m.-5 p.m. starting **Mon., 12/7**  
at City Hall and the Evans Center

## Payment Methods

- **Cash or Money Order**
- **Check**

Make checks payable to: **City of Grove City**. There is a \$25 returned check fee. Any customer with two returned checks within a 12-month period will be required to pay all subsequent fees by money order or in cash.

- **Credit Card**

MasterCard or Visa only

## Confirmation

Once you have registered for a class, no other confirmations are made unless a change is made in the program details. It is the responsibility of the participant to be present on the date and time listed.

## Cancellations/Credit

Registered participants may cancel from a program at any time prior to the start of class. Participants will receive a credit to their account. Credits are redeemable indefinitely. It is the participant's responsibility to contact the Parks and Recreation Department, prior to the start of the class, if this is necessary.

## Class/Event Cancellation

All classes and events are subject to change or cancellation based on participation and instructor availability. A Parks and Recreation staff member will notify all registered participants as changes occur.

# Five Easy Ways to Register!

The first week of each registration period is reserved for online-only sign-ups. After one week, all methods apply. Drop-box, mail-in, telephone and fax registrations share the same priority and are processed in the order received.

**1**



**ONLINE** registration is available for most Parks and Recreation offerings (sports excluded), providing 24-hour access to our exciting array of options for all ages.

**Online registration begins Mon., 11/30.**

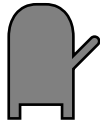
**2**



**WALK-IN** registration is available Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., in City Hall, 4035 Broadway, and at the Evans Center, 4330 Dudley Ave.

**Walk-in registration begins Mon., 12/7.**

**3**



Use the silver **DROP BOX** located on the parking-lot side of City Hall for after-hours registration. The box is opened at 8 a.m. each business day; registrations placed in the box after 8 a.m. are processed the next business day.

**Drop-box registration begins Mon., 12/7.**

**4**



Registration by **PHONE** or **FAX** is accepted via VISA or MasterCard only and is treated as a drop-box/mail-in priority. Phone: 614-277-3050 | Fax: 614-277-3090

**Phone/fax registration begins Mon., 12/7.**

**5**



**MAIL** your payment and completed registration form to:

Grove City Parks and Recreation Department,  
4035 Broadway, Grove City, OH 43123

**Mail-in registration begins Mon., 12/7.**

## Residency Rates & Fair Share Policy

The lower "resident rate" provides credit to those paying municipal taxes that help support the programs and events offered by the City of Grove City. To qualify as a resident, a person must live or work in Grove City or Jackson Township. This does not include all of ZIP code 43123; ZIP codes are used by the U.S. Postal Service to designate the office that delivers mail to an address. Visit [FranklinCountyAuditor.com](http://FranklinCountyAuditor.com) to check your address. Grove City parcel IDs start with 040; unincorporated Jackson Township with 160.

Through the City of Grove City Fair Share Policy, non-residents who pay income tax to the City of Grove City are eligible to participate at resident rates. To be eligible, non-residents must annually provide proof of employment on company letterhead with the signature of the personnel director or a current pay stub showing the employer's address.

## Equal Opportunities and Special Populations

The Grove City Parks and Recreation Department is committed to serving the whole community. All persons regardless of age, sex, race, color, national origin or religion are encouraged to participate. Our goal is also to include individuals with special needs in our existing programs based on their need and ability. Groups or individuals serving special populations are welcome to contact the department to make program arrangements. Please contact the Parks and Recreation Department with patron concerns, questions or comments at 614-277-3050.



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